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## REGENTS' MEETING

THE BOARD MET AT ST. JOSEPH THURSDAY IN BUSINESS SESSION.

## HADLEY AT DEDICATION

The Governor Will Be Secured for Address—Marshall and Sureties Sued on Bond.

A meeting of the board of regents of the State Normal school was held in St. Joseph Thursday to take up several important matters. Members of the board in attendance at the meeting were W. A. Blagg, Maryville; O. P. Williams, Plattsburg; W. F. Rankin, Tarkio; W. G. Hine, Savannah, and J. D. O'Brien, St. Joseph. H. J. Hughes of Trenton, and State Superintendent Evans of Jefferson City were not able to attend. President Taylor of the Normal and Registrar Rickenbode were present at the meeting.

The regents issued certificates and diplomas to the graduates of the summer term which has just closed. These graduates will be credited to the class of 1912, as the school year now extends from June to June.

As the building is completed and nearly all the furniture installed, the board decided that the dedication exercises be held in the latter part of October or the first of November. The matter was, however, left in the hands of President Taylor.

Governor Hadley will be secured for the main address at the dedication exercises. There will also be many other noted speakers. President Taylor intends to make the affair one that will be long remembered in the history of the school.

An addition of a second boiler to the heating plant of the school will be put in soon, as steps were taken at the meeting Thursday.

A water plug is to be put in near the Normal building for fire protection to the school.

The board directed that steps be taken and a suit instituted against D. E. Marshall & Co. and the bonding company. Marshall had the contract for the construction of the school building, and gave it up several months ago. Some of the work done in the building was not up to specifications and plans and some of it was done over this summer. As Marshall did not come up to his contract he and the surety company will have to stand good for the payment of the work done over. Cook, Cummins & Dawson are the attorneys for the board of regents in this matter.

The fall term of the school opens September 6, and a large enrollment is expected.

## COUNTY COURT AD- JOURNED TODAY

Elmo will have an election on Tuesday, September 5, for the purpose of either granting or rejecting a franchise to the Elmo Improvement and Business company for the erection and operation of an electric light plant for Elmo for a term of ten years.

An electric light plant was installed in Elmo recently by two promoters, T. A. Long and W. H. Henshaw. Some \$2,000 or so was spent and Elmo had electric lights for a time. But the promoters had borrowed all the money they could from individuals, and the promoters left. So action was brought against them and several of the citizens of Elmo who loaned money to the promoters owned the light plant.

## BAPTIST ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN ATCHISON CO.

County Superintendent William M. Oakerson returned Friday from Columbia, Mo., where he has been taking special work in the summer school of the university. Miss Frances Hartman and Miss Lois Halle also returned Friday from Columbia, where they have been taking work during the summer term.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

## At the Chautauqua

We can supply your wants as well at the grounds as in our store. Checking booth, stamps, post cards, souvenirs, etc.

## Hotchkin's Variety Store

106 South Main St.

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## YESTERDAY'S RESULTS IN THE MINK LEAGUE

Mink League Standing.			
	Won.	Lost.	Prct.
Falls City	44	29	.603
Auburn	39	35	.527
Shenandoah	38	36	.514
Humboldt	37	36	.507
Clarinda	34	40	.459
Nebraska City	29	45	.392

Humboldt, Neb., Aug. 11.—Falls City took the first game of the series yesterday in a pitchers' battle. The score: R.H.E.

Falls City ..... 0 0 1 0 0 0 0 1 0 — 2 7 1  
Humboldt ..... 0 0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0 — 1 5 4  
Batteries—Justus, Wheatley and Atchison, Holt and Gentry county Odd Fellows will take part in the meeting. The committee on speakers for the occasion have been successful in securing some noted Odd Fellows, who will deliver addresses. Deputy Grand Master Rev. A. Sterling of Smithton, Grand Warden Henry A. Hamilton, Grand Instructor Morris Pritchell, Mrs. Ionia M. Sullivan of Kansas City, state president of the Rebekah assembly, and Mrs. Myrtle Ennis of Kansas City have already been secured for speeches.

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Henry L. Jost, assistant prosecuting attorney, was married yesterday morning to Miss Minnie Alice Hanks of 2727 Cherry street. The ceremony took place at the St. John's Episcopal church, the Rev. Carl Reed Taylor officiating. The bride is the daughter of E. P. Hanks of the above address and recently moved to Kansas City from Oak Grove, Mo. Jost tried to keep his marriage a secret at the prosecutor's office. Mr. and Mrs. Jost left last night for a month's trip through the lake region, visiting Toronto, New York City, Washington, Chicago, Point Comfort and St. Louis.

## ELMO TO HAVE ELECTION ON SEPTEMBER 5

Bishop Wm. F. McDowell of Evanston, Ill., was in Maryville Thursday evening and spent the night here. On Thursday he delivered a lecture at the Stanberry Chautauqua. Bishop McDowell was entertained Thursday by Rev. J. S. Ford of the First M. E. Church in the basement of the church. A social time was had and refreshments were served. Bishop McDowell left Friday morning for Savannah, where he will deliver an address to the Chautauqua at that place.

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The Owls will play the Company F team a game of base ball at Riffe's park Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. On next Tuesday the Owls and the Elks will again play—the second game of the series of five which are to be played.

Went to St. Louis.

Mrs. B. D. Null of St. Louis, who has been visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Bantz, for several weeks left Friday morning for her home, accompanied by Mr. and Mrs. Bantz, who will spend two months with her.

Home from Chicago.

Mrs. Elias Orear and daughter, Miss Beulah Orear, returned Friday noon from Chicago, where they have been spending several months.

Chautauqua Guests.

Miss Myra Hon and her brother, Will Hon, of Platte City, Mo., came to Maryville Friday and will remain until the close of the Chautauqua as the guests of Miss Gertrude Blair.

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Dale Zeigler, Thomas Barry, J. S. McMullin and son, Henry, of Ravengrove were in the city Friday, making the trip over in the McMullin car.

SUIT FILED AGAINST WABASH FOR KILLING PIGS

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI, FRIDAY, AUG. 11, 1911.

## I. O. O. F. CONCLAVE

TO BE HELD AT BURLINGTON JUNCTION ON SEPTEMBER 4.

## BE BIG EVENT FOR LODGE

Good Speakers Are Secured and the Affair Promises to Be a Successful One for Odd Fellowship.

The I. O. O. F. conclave to be held in Burlington Junction on Labor day, September 4, promises to be a great success this year. Nodaway, Atchison, Holt and Gentry county Odd Fellows will take part in the meeting. The committee on speakers for the occasion have been successful in securing some noted Odd Fellows, who will deliver addresses. Deputy Grand Master Rev. A. Sterling of Smithton, Grand Warden Henry A. Hamilton, Grand Instructor Morris Pritchell, Mrs. Ionia M. Sullivan of Kansas City, state president of the Rebekah assembly, and Mrs. Myrtle Ennis of Kansas City have already been secured for speeches.

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Mr. and Mrs. Dan Holmes entertained with a dinner party Friday noon. The hostess was assisted by her sister, Miss Charlene Bean of Creswell, Ia.; who has been her guest for two weeks. The company included Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Montgomery and their guest, Mrs. J. B. Thomas of La Harpe, Kan.; Mr. Will Montgomery, Miss Ruth Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Holmes, Miss Lucile Holmes, G. B. Holmes, Jr., Miss Charlene Bean, the host and hostess and their daughter, Mary Electa.

Dance at Old Copus Club Rooms.

A dance was given Thursday evening at the old Copus club rooms in the Roseberry building. Music was furnished by Miss Hilda Lahr. Those present were Misses Rena Sturm, Stella Moore, Elise Jackson, Allie Frazer, Ruth and Marie Reuillard, Marie Brink, Esther Shoemaker and her guest, Miss Marguerite Watkins of Lawson; Miss Dorothy Pierce and her guest, Miss Geraldine Coffey of Steelville; Miss Cecil Benight of St. Joseph, Messrs. Cleve Funk, Eldon Irvin, Walter Todd, Frank Schumacher, Fred Bellows, Edward J. Schumacher, James Todd, Magnus Tate, Cecil Sheldon, Clyde Hutton, Harmon McMaster, Harold Ford.

Surprise Party.

A number of guests were entertained at a surprise masquerade party at the home of Mr. and Mrs. George Aley, in honor of their son Henderson's eighteenth birthday, Tuesday evening, August 8. The evening was spent in playing games and music was furnished by Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walker, Miss Velma Doyle and Miss Flora King. A delicate luncheon was served at 11 o'clock. The guests were Misses Ola, Ora and Flora King, Velma and Alta Doyle, Bess and Wilma Nicholas, Verna, Irene and Bess Aley, Iva Coop, Lula Headrick, Edith Irwin, Ethel Winters and Miss Hull, Messrs. Williamson and Welby Nicholas, Earl Mitchell, Guy and Baly Morris, Theo Palmer, Pearl Headrick, Edgar Hull, Guy Henderson, Ralph Aley, Mr. and Mrs. Ed Walker, Mrs. Clum Aley.

Mrs. Charles Stafford, Hostess.

The Dew Drop Inn club met Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Charles Stafford, north of town. The session opened with roll call, each member responding to her name by either a story of Lincoln or a quotation from him. The afternoon was spent socially and a very enjoyable time was had. Those present were the hostesses, Mrs. Lawson and Mrs. Stafford, and daughter, Miss Mildred; Mrs. Harry Farrar, Mrs. Claud Moore, Mrs. Martin VanBuren and daughter, Miss Hattie; Mrs. Elmer Baker and daughter, Miss Bernice. The children were Andrew Farrar, Leval Stafford, Ruth and Mary VanBuren and Kenneth Moore. The club adjourned to meet in two weeks at the home of Mrs. Claude Moore.

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## News of Society and Women's Clubs

### Visited Conception Abbey.

Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Gillam and son, Forrest; Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Luce and daughter, Miss Cornelia Luce, formed an automobile party to New Eglenberg abbey at Conception Friday afternoon. They will partake of a picnic supper before returning home.

### Friday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. Parle, assisted by their daughters, Misses Mae and Anna Parle, entertained with a dinner party Friday that included Mrs. Robert Graham of Clyde, mother of the hostess; Mr. and Mrs. William Kelley and sons, Leo and Emmett, of Ponca City, Okla.; Miss Mammie Gallagher of Minneapolis, Minn.; Rev. Father Henry Niemann and his father, Mr. Clement Niemann.

### Thursday Dinner Guests.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Ed Costello, assisted by Mrs. Costello's sister, Miss Ella Roney, entertained at dinner Thursday Mr. and Mrs. William Kelley and sons, Leo and Emmett, of Ponca City, Okla.; Miss Mammie Gallagher of Minneapolis, Minn.; Rev. Father Henry Niemann and his father, Mr. Clement Niemann.

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## FREE SAMPLE CURED OLD PERSON'S BOWEL TROUBLE

One of the most remarkable proofs of the unusual laxative merit contained in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is that it is effective not only in people in the prime of life, but at the extremes of ages. As many letters are received from mothers regarding the cures of children, as from men and women of sixty, seventy and eighty years of age. It must be truly a wonderful laxative.

In the cure of constipation and bowel trouble in old people it has no equal. It corrects the constipation, dispels the headache, biliousness, gas, drowsiness after eating, etc. People advancing in years should see to it that their bowels move freely, and if they do not to take Dr. Caldwell's

Syrup Pepsin. You can prolong your life by healthy bowel action. Clogged bowels invite disease. Women about to pass the menstrual period cannot do better than use Syrup Pepsin several times a week until the system has settled to its future condition.

Among the strongest supporters of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are Mr. W. G. Zorn of New Decatur, Ala., and Mr. George S. Spaulding of the National Soldiers' Home, Kansas, both elderly men. The regular size bottles can be bought of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar, but a free sample bottle can be had by sending your address to the doctor.

Address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

## Coal! Coal!

On deck again at the old stand, corner 5th and Main.

And I am ready to book your order for coal of any kind, from a wagon load to car load and want to figure with you for your winter's coal. Get my prices before you buy.

Peter Mergen

### Visited Aged Father.

W. M. Shonley of Red Oak, Ia., left for his home Thursday, after a four days' visit in Maryville with his father, Joseph Shonley, and his brothers. His sister, Sister Edwards, who is a teacher in the Catholic mission school at Stephens, S. D., is here for her annual visit with her father.

Miss Bertha Goforth of Bolckow is visiting the family of her brother, W. E. Goforth.

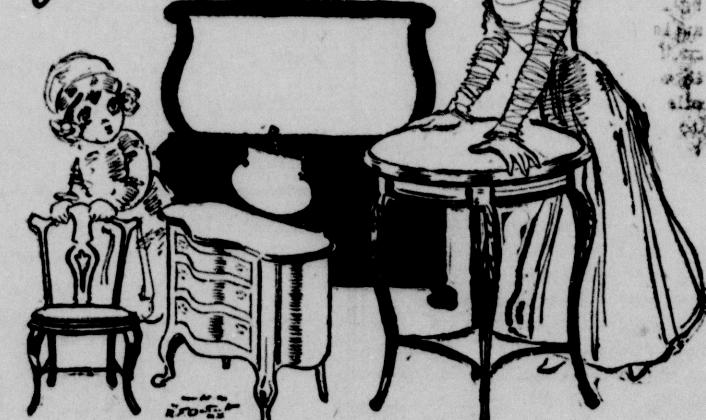
## Saturday Specials

Asters all colors 40c doz.  
Gladiolus all colors 75c doz.  
Roses White, Pink and Shell  
Pink \$1.00 doz. short stem 75c  
doz. All fresh cut blooms.

ENGELEMAN GREENHOUSES.  
1201 South Main Street.  
Banamo 17-1-8, Bell 126.

Fine watch and jewelry repairing at Cranes.

Just come in  
and see  
our new  
furniture.



Dear Amy:-

I didn't think I needed any furniture, but I got an invitation from the leading reliable furniture store in town to "just come in and look around."

I went and was so tempted by the beautiful, serviceable new things I saw, that I bought a whole wagon load.

The prices were so reasonable and the things so pretty that I just couldn't help it. I got a nice, new, little chair for Baby John; he's so destructive.

Ta-Ta

Lou

P. S.-The store I went to was

Price & McNeal

## TARIFF TALK IN CONFERENCE

Joint Committee Holds Meeting  
and Goes Over All Bills.

## AGREEMENT ON THE FREE LIST

Senator La Follette and Representative Underwood Said to Have Come to an Understanding—Republicans Will Stand by Taft.

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Apparently convinced that there is no prospect of an adjournment of congress soon, President Taft left for a second week-end trip to Beverly, Mass.

Statehood Bill Ready for Veto.

The bill admitting Arizona and New Mexico to statehood passed its last legislative stage when the house agreed to the minor senate amendments to the measure. The bill now goes to President Taft, who, it is expected, will veto it.

## ZIONIST CONGRESS MEETS

David Wolffsohn, Leader of Movement, Decides to Retire.

Basel, Switzerland, Aug. 11.—The tenth Zionist congress opened at the city casino with 500 delegates, representing nearly every part of the globe, taking part and some 2,000 spectators in the galleries. David Wolffsohn of Cologne, the president, reviewed the immense progress of the Zionist movement despite the great obstacles of the opposition.

Max Nordau followed with an address depicting in darkest tints the present situation of the Jews in eastern Europe. The Zionist hope is the hope of those Jews who wish to live.

David Wolffsohn, leader of the Zionist movement since the death of the founder, Theodore Hertzl, has decided to retire because of ill health. Prof. Otto Warburg of Berlin, a kinsman of Jacob P. Schiff, the New York banker, may succeed to this office. Herr Wolffsohn presided at the opening of the tenth Zionist conference here.

## RAPS MONETARY COMMISSION

Mr. Cummins Says It Is Retreat for Lame Ducks.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The alleged extravagance of the national monetary commission was arraigned in the senate by Cummins of Iowa.

"The commission," he charged, "has become a place for men who have lost favor with their constituents and have been defeated at the polls."

Senator Burton declared that in his opinion the National City company, formed by the National City bank of New York, for the reported purpose of holding bank stocks, was contrary to law and not according to the national welfare. If it were held to be legal, he said, he would introduce a bill to make such companies illegal.

Bryan Asks Explanation.

Lincoln, Aug. 10.—In a letter written to the World-Herald of Omaha in regard to the recent attack of Congressman Underwood upon W. J. Bryan, the latter asserts that his information as to the actions of the Democratic floor leader came exclusively from the news columns of that paper and asks the proprietors thereof to explain to its readers whether or not its Washington dispatch was correct.

## DIVIDES COUNTRY INTO RATE ZONES

Formal Order in Pacific Coast

Freight Tariff Cases Issued.

## MATERIAL REDUCTION IS MADE

New Rates Are to Be Made Effective by Nov. 15.—United States Is Divided Into Five Zones or Districts—Limits Placed on Charges.

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Zone 1—All territory lying west of a line called line No. 1, which extends in a general southerly direction from a point immediately east of Grand Portage, Minn., southwesterly, along the western shore of Lake Superior, to a point immediately east of Superior, Wis., thence southerly to the intersection of the Arkansas and Oklahoma state lines; thence along the Kansas City Southern to the Gulf of Mexico.

Zone 2—All territory lying east of line No. 1 and west of a line called line No. 2, which begins at the Canadian boundary immediately west of Cockburn Island, in Lake Huron, passes westerly through the straits of Mackinaw, southerly through Lake Michigan to Paducah, Ky., thence southerly to the Gulf of Mexico.

Zone 3—All territory lying west of line No. 2 and north of a line extending from Norfolk, Va., to Paducah, Ky., and west of line No. 3 from Buffalo, N. Y., to Wheeling, W. Va., and thence along the Ohio river to Huntington, W. Va.

Zone 4—All territory east of line No. 3 and north of the Norfolk-Paducah line.

Zone 5—All territory lying south of Norfolk-Paducah line and east of the Mobile and Ohio railroad, known as the southeastern territory.

The railways are not permitted to exact higher commodity charges from points in Zone 1 to intermediate points than to Pacific coast terminals. From points in Zone 2 permission is granted to charge commodity rates to points intermediate to Pacific terminals, 7 per cent higher than to the terminals; from Zone 3, 15 per cent higher, and from Zone 4, 25 per cent higher. No order is made as to the rates from Zone 5.

## WOMAN MUST SERVE TERM

Court at Iola, Kan., Refuses to Change Decree in Case of Mrs. Reese.

Iola, Kan., Aug. 11.—"It was the sake of the welfare of the boys of Iola that I decreed that Mrs. Ella Reese should go to the rock pile, and I positively will not back down from that decree," declared Judge Smeltzer of the Iola municipal court. Mrs. Reese remained in jail where Judge Smeltzer declared she should remain until she is willing to work out her fine on the street with men prisoners.

"While the flood gates of sympathy are loosened in behalf of the woman," Judge Smeltzer said, "it should be remembered there is another side to the case. With tears streaming down her cheeks the mother of boy entered my office the other night. 'Where is my boy, judge?' she said. 'They told me you've got him.'"

"I pointed to the jail and told the mother that her boy was in a cell with several others. I believe Mrs. Reese hired these boys into trouble. I wish her offense were a felony and she could be sent to prison."

## Killed When Auto Wheel Breaks.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Aug. 11.—Fred Wells of Somers, Ia., was instantly killed when the spokes of the right front wheel of his automobile gave way while he was driving twenty-five miles an hour. Wells was thrown out on his head and his neck broken. Four other occupants of the car were hurt but none seriously. A baby in the party was found unharmed twenty feet away.

## Falls From Cliff; Drowned in River.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 11.—G. Herold, aged thirty-five years, was drowned in the Des Moines river. While standing on a high cliff Herold became dizzy and toppled over into the river. He was drowned before aid could reach him.

## Condition of Pope Much Improved.

Rome, Aug. 11.—Dr. Petacci and Prof. Marchiava visited Pope Pius and found his condition improved.

## Hudson & Welch

North Side Hardware Co.

Old Reliable

Wish to thank our customers and friends for their patronage in the past, assuring them that we are still on deck to serve you with everything that may be found in a first class hardware store at prices that are right.

Pittsburgh and Twin Tie Fencing.

Cook Stoves and Ranges.

Hardware and House Furnishing Goods.

Call and see us and be shown.

THE MALLEABLE RANGE  
MADE IN SOUTH BEND RANKS FIRST

The

JEFFERSON  
HOTEL

EUROPEAN  
PLAN

• Rates for rooms—one dollar per day—rooms with bath one dollar and fifty cents  
• When you visit Kansas City stay at Kansas City's New Leading Hotel, The Jefferson. "Not the biggest—just the best."  
• The Jefferson is modern in every big and little detail—what is also important is comfortable.

The Jefferson Hotel Cafe—à la carte—is the best patronized cafe in Kansas City. "Live Baby Lobster, broiled, 50c." Music noon and evening and other entertainment.

SECOND  
YEAR.

## SALEM ITEMS.

The threshing machine is yet with us, but the drought has gone.

Some men in the threshing fields complained of heat the last few days.

A. B. Crane is enjoying the visit of his sister from Illinois.

Mr. Joe Short has a brother-in-law visiting him from Omaha.

The revival meeting at Dawson is being largely attended and great interest is being taken.

There will be some changes at the church throughout this month. The pastor is taking a vacation to Spickard for a few weeks' meeting, while

his pulpit is to be filled by other men, some of the laity.

Martin Casey has enjoyed the presence in his home of his brother from Kansas City.

There will be a new broom at the church Sunday morning. Better go.

## Going to Dakota.

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**Anchor Yourself to a Bank Account**

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A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

A young man should anchor himself to a bank account as the first step to success. As his account grows so will his confidence in himself to make good.

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MARYVILLE, MISSOURI

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## FREE SAMPLE CURED OLD PERSON'S BOWEL TROUBLE

One of the most remarkable proofs of the unusual laxative merit contained in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is that it is effective not only in people in the prime of life, but at the extremes of ages. As many letters are received from mothers regarding the cures of children, as from men and women of sixty, seventy and eighty years of age. It must be truly a wonderful laxative.

In the cure of constipation and bowel trouble in old people it has no equal. It corrects the constipation, dispels the headache, biliousness, gas, drowsiness after eating, etc. People advancing in years should see to it that their bowels move freely, and if they do not to take Dr. Caldwell's

Syrup Pepsin. You can prolong your life by healthy bowel action. Clogged bowels invite disease. Women about to pass the menstrual period cannot do better than use Syrup Pepsin several times a week until the system has settled to its future condition.

Among the strongest supporters of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are Mr. W. G. Zorn of New Decatur, Ala., and Mr. George S. Spaulding of the National Soldiers' Home, Kansas, both elderly men. The regular size bottles can be bought of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar, but a free sample bottle can be had by sending your address to the doctor.

Address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

## Coal! Coal!

On deck again at the old stand, corner 5th and Main.

And I am ready to book your order for coal of any kind, from a wagon load to car load and want to figure with you for your winter's coal. Get my prices before you buy.

### Peter Mergen

Visited Aged Father. W. M. Shonley of Red Oak, Ia., left for his home Thursday, after a four days' visit in Maryville with his father, Joseph Shonley, and his brothers. His sister, Sister Edwards, who is a teacher in the Catholic mission school at Stephens, S. D., is here for her annual visit with her father.

Miss Bertha Goforth of Bolckow is visiting the family of her brother, W. E. Goforth.

### Saturday Specials

Asters all colors 40c doz. Gladiolus all colors 75c doz. Roses White, Pink and Shell Pink \$1.00 doz. short stem 75c doz. All fresh cut blooms.

ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES. 1201 South Main Street. Banamo 17-1-2. Bell 126.

### CRAIG POSTMASTER WAS ARRAIGNED

(Kansas City Times.)

Philip A. Thompson, postmaster at Craig, Mo., was arraigned yesterday afternoon before Roy B. Thompson, United States commissioner, on a charge of embezzling money order funds to the amount of \$1,707.59. The postoffice inspectors have been checking over his accounts since last February and found the alleged shortage. Thompson was brought to Kansas City late yesterday afternoon by Frank Frazier, a postoffice inspector. Thompson admits that he is short, but does not know how much. He waived preliminary hearing and was released on a \$2,000 bond.

#### A CORROBORATION.

Of Interest to Maryville Readers. seen in these columns enthusiastic praise of Doan's Kidney Pills, by residents of this locality.

Would these prominent people recommend a remedy that had not proven reliable?

Would they confirm their statements after years had elapsed if personal experience had not shown the remedy to be worthy of endorsement?

No stronger proof of merit can be had than cures that have stood the test of time.

The following statement should carry conviction to the mind of every Maryville reader.

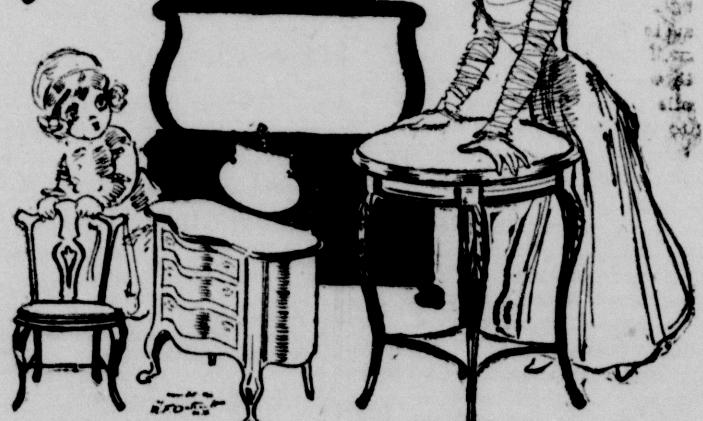
G. S. Kemp, R. F. D. No. 1, King City, Gentry county, Mo., says: "I give Doan's Kidney Pills my endorsement and I willingly confirm the statement I made in their favor some years ago. This remedy has been of great benefit to me and I advise other kidney sufferers to give it a trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Fine watch and jewelry repairing at Crane's.

Just come in and see our new furniture.



Dear Amy:-

I didn't think I needed any furniture, but I got an invitation from the leading reliable furniture store in town to "just come in and look around."

I went and was so tempted by the beautiful, serviceable new things I saw, that I bought a whole wagon load.

The prices were so reasonable and the things so pretty that I just couldn't help it. I got a nice, new, little chair for Baby John; he's so destructive.

Ta-Ta

Lou

P. S.—The store I went to was

Price & McNeal

## TARIFF TALK IN CONFERENCE

Joint Committee Holds Meeting and Goes Over All Bills.

### AGREEMENT ON THE FREE LIST

Senator La Follette and Representative Underwood Said to Have Come to an Understanding—Republicans Will Stand by Taft.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The subcommittee in charge of the wool revision bill having failed to reach an agreement, all the conference today to again consider the entire tariff situation.

Mr. Underwood's statement that virtual agreement has been reached on the free list bill and the calling of the full ways and means committee in special meeting was interpreted by many Democrats to mean that Mr. Underwood is ready to present a form of free list agreement that can be quickly consummated with Senator La Follette, provided the committee authorizes it.

When Senator La Follette and Representative Underwood failed to reach an agreement they asked for a meeting of the full conference committee at which it was stated the entire situation with reference to the tariff would be considered.

The report gained rapid circulation that Mr. La Follette and Mr. Underwood had practically reached an understanding on the basis of a 30 per cent duty on raw wool, with corresponding rates on wool manufactures. Senator La Follette, however, contradicted this statement in positive language.

Mr. Underwood said the conference had "talked out the free list bill."

"I think we will have no difficulty in arriving at an agreement on that measure," he added.

Leaders Will Stand by Taft.

Republican leaders of the senate and house flocked to the White House to inform President Taft that they would fight to the last ditch before they allowed either the senate or house to pass any measure over the presidential veto. "We do not propose to let any attempt at making laws over the head of the president go through without a fight," said Republican Whip John Dwight. Senator Murray Crane of Massachusetts backed up this statement.

Apparently convinced that there is no prospect of an adjournment of congress soon, President Taft left for a second week-end trip to Beverly, Mass.

Statehood Bill Ready for Veto.

The bill admitting Arizona and New Mexico to statehood passed its last legislative stage when the house agreed to the minor senate amendments to the measure. The bill now goes to President Taft, who, it is expected, will veto it.

### ZIONIST CONGRESS MEETS

David Wolffsohn, Leader of Movement, Decides to Retire.

Basel, Switzerland, Aug. 11.—The tenth Zionist congress opened at the city casino with 500 delegates, representing nearly every part of the globe, taking part and some 2,000 spectators in the galleries. David Wolffsohn of Cologne, the president, reviewed the immense progress of the Zionist movement despite the great obstacles of the opposition.

Max Nordau followed with an address depicting in darkest tints the present situation of the Jews in eastern Europe. The Zionist hope is the hope of those Jews who wish to live.

David Wolffsohn, leader of the Zionist movement since the death of the founder, Theodore Hertzl, has decided to retire because of ill health. Prof. Otto Warburg of Berlin, a kinsman of Jacob P. Schiff, the New York banker, may succeed to this office. Herr Wolffsohn presided at the opening of the tenth Zionist conference here.

### RAPS MONETARY COMMISSION

Mr. Cummins Says It Is Retreat for Lame Ducks.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The alleged extravagance of the national monetary commission was arraigned in the state by Cummins of Iowa.

"The commission," he charged, "has become a place for men who have lost favor with their constituents and have been defeated at the polls."

Senator Burton declared that in his opinion the National City company, formed by the National City bank of New York, for the reported purpose of holding bank stocks, was contrary to law and not according to the national welfare. If it were held to be legal, he said, he would introduce a bill to make such companies illegal.

#### Bryan Asks Explanation.

Lincoln, Aug. 10.—In a letter written to the World-Herald of Omaha in regard to the recent attack of Congressman Underwood upon W. J. Bryan, the latter asserts that his information as to the actions of the Democratic floor leader came exclusively from the news columns of that paper and asks the proprietors thereof to explain to its readers whether or not its Washington dispatch was correct.

## DIVIDES COUNTRY INTO RATE ZONES

### Formal Order in Pacific Coast

#### Freight Tariff Cases Issued.

### MATERIAL REDUCTION IS MADE

New Rates Are to Be Made Effective by Nov. 15—United States Is Divided Into Five Zones or Districts—Limits Placed on Charges.

Washington, Aug. 11.—Formal orders in the Pacific coast freight rate cases supplementing the decisions rendered two weeks ago, were issued by the interstate commerce commission. Material reductions in both class and commodity freight rates are made from Atlantic coast points of origin to inter-Rocky mountain cities—and others similarly situated—although the carriers are permitted on account of water competition to exact rates somewhat less to Pacific coast terminals than to the intermediate points.

The orders just issued define explicitly the rates indicated in the opinions as reasonable and require the carriers engaged in transcontinental traffic to establish the rates fixed by the commission on or before November 15, 1911. To insure an equitable and convenient disposition of all cases which involve a construction of the long and short haul provisions of the law, the commission divides the United States into five zones, described as follows:

Zone 1—All territory lying west of a line called line No. 1, which extends in a general southerly direction from a point immediately east of Grand Portage, Minn., southwesterly, along the western shore of Lake Superior, to a point immediately east of Superior, Wis., thence southerly to the intersection of the Arkansas and Oklahoma state lines; thence along the Kansas City Southern to the Gulf of Mexico.

Zone 2—All territory lying east of line No. 1 and west of a line called line No. 2, which begins at the Canadian boundary immediately west of Cockburn Island, in Lake Huron, passes westerly through the straits of Mackinaw, southerly through Lake Michigan to Paducah, Ky., thence southerly to the Gulf of Mexico.

Zone 3—All territory lying west of line No. 2 and north of a line extending from Norfolk, Va., to Paducah, Ky., and west of line No. 3 from Buffalo, N. Y., to Wheeling, W. Va., and thence along the Ohio river to Huntington, W. Va.

Zone 4—All territory east of line No. 3 and north of the Norfolk-Paducah line.

Zone 5—All territory lying south of Norfolk-Paducah line and east of the Mobile and Ohio railroad, known as the southeastern territory.

The railroads are not permitted to exact higher commodity charges from points in Zone 1 to intermediate points than to Pacific coast terminals. From points in Zone 2 permission is granted to charge commodity rates to points intermediate to Pacific terminals, 7 per cent higher than to the terminals; from Zone 3, 15 per cent higher, and from Zone 4, 25 per cent higher. No order is made as to the rates from Zone 5.

### WOMAN MUST SERVE TERM

Court at Iola, Kan., Refuses to Change Decree in Case of Mrs. Reese.

Iola, Kan., Aug. 11.—"It was the sake of the welfare of the boys of Iola that I decreed that Mrs. Ella Reese should go to the rock pile, and I positively will not back down from that decree," declared Judge Smeltzer of the Iola municipal court. Mrs. Reese remained in jail where Judge Smeltzer declared she should remain until she is willing to work out her fine on the street with men prisoners. "While the flood gates of sympathy are loosened in behalf of the woman," Judge Smeltzer said, "it should be remembered there is another side to the case. With tears streaming down her cheeks the mother of a boy entered my office the other night. 'Where is my boy, judge?' she said. 'They told me you've got him.'

"I pointed to the jail and told the mother that her boy was in a cell with several others. I believe Mrs. Reese lured these boys into trouble. I wish her offense were a felony and she could be sent to prison."

#### Killed When Auto Wheel Breaks.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Aug. 11.—Fred Wells of Somers, Ia., was instantly killed when the spokes of the right front wheel of his automobile gave way while he was driving twenty-five miles an hour. Wells was thrown out on his head and his neck broken. Four other occupants of the car were hurt, but none seriously. A baby in the party was found unhurt twenty feet away.

#### Falls From Cliff; Drowned in River.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 11.—G. Herlihy, aged thirty-five years, was drowned in the Des Moines river. While standing on a high cliff Herlihy became dizzy and toppled over into the river. He was drowned before aid could reach him.

#### Condition of Pope Much Improved.

Rome, Aug. 11.—Dr. Petacci and Prof. Marchiafava visited Pope Pius and found his condition improved.

## Hudson & Welch

North Side Hardware Co.

Old Reliable

Wish to thank our customers and friends for their patronage in the past, assuring them that we are still on deck to serve you with everything that may be found in a first class hardware store at prices that are right.

Pittsburgh and Twin Tie Fencing.

Cook Stoves and Ranges.

Hardware and House Furnishing Goods.

Call and see us and be shown.

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MADE IN SOUTH BEND RANKS FIRST

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KANSAS CITY  
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WYANDOTTE ST.  
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1 Rates for rooms—one dollar per day—rooms with bath one dollar and fifty cents  
2 When you visit Kansas City stay at Kansas City's New Leading Hotel, The Jefferson. "Not the biggest—just the best."  
3 The Jefferson is modern in every big and little detail—what is also important is comfortable.  
4 The Jefferson Hotel Cafe—à la carte—is the best patronized cafe in Kansas City. "Live Baby Lobster, broiled, 50c." Music noon and evening and other entertainment.

SECOND,  
YEAR.

### SALEM ITEMS.

The threshing machine is yet with us, but the drought has gone.

Some men in the threshing fields complained of heat the last few days.

A. B. Crane is enjoying the visit of a sister from Illinois.

Mr. Joe Short has a brother-in-law visiting him from Omaha.

The revival meeting at Dawson is largely attended and great interest is being taken.

There will be some changes at the church throughout this month. The pastor is taking a vacation to Spickard for a few weeks' meeting, while

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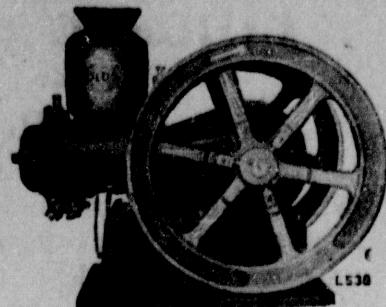
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## Headquarters for

## OLDS GAS ENGINE.

You are urged to investigate the merits of the Olds Gas Engine. We have them from 1½ to 600 horse power and can be used to advantage in almost any kind of work, filling silos, for the cream separator, shelter or grinder, or wood saw. We put a guarantee on every engine that goes out of our place. We solicit your patronage.

WILLIAM ARMSTRONG.



## Todays Markets

## LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO.  
Cattle—2,000. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 200.  
Hogs—14,000. Market steady to strong; top, \$7.85. Estimate tomorrow, 10,000.

Sheep—7,000. Market 10c higher.

KANSAS CITY.

Cattle—1,000. Market strong.  
Hogs—2,000. Market steady to strong; top, \$7.62.  
Sheep—2,000. Market 10c higher.

ST. JOSEPH.

Cattle—250.  
Hogs—2,500. Market steady to strong; top, \$7.60.  
Sheep—500. Market 10c higher.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK MARKET.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Aug. 10.—Cattle receipts, 4,000. Good grades steady, others shade lower; top, \$7.40. Fat cattle 10@15c higher for the week; others 15@25c lower.

Hog receipts, 6,500. Market opened weak, mostly steady with best time yesterday; top, \$7.85; bulk, \$7.60@7.80.

Sheep receipts, 4,000. Lambs 15@25c higher; top, \$7.00; sheep steady. For the week, lambs 35@50c higher; sheep unchanged.

Indications for a hog advance favorable. Fat cattle and sheep look firm sellers.

National Live Stock Commission Co.

(First insertion July 14; last Aug. 11.)

## NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, John G. Haist, administrator of the estate of Ruel Peter Bohart, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such administrator at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be held at Maryville, in said county on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1911.

JOHN G. HAIST,  
Administrator.

## ELMO ITEMS.

Mr. Glenn Calhoun of Bedford, Ia., was visiting and transacting business in Elmo this week.

Preparations are being made to make the three days' picnic to be held here August 23, 24 and 25 a greater success than ever.

## Kane's Place.

## Liquors,

## Wines,

## Cigars

Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention.

## Waukesha

## "Club House"

## The Beer of Quality

ADOLPH LIPPMAN  
DISTRIBUTOR

Mail Orders Promptly Filled

LORDS ACCEPT  
VETO MEASURETwo Years' Struggle Ends in  
Victory for House of Commons.

## POWER IS GREATLY LIMITED.

Prerogative of Lower Chamber of British Parliament Considerably Increased by Success of Its Bill—Commons Vote Themselves Pay.

London, Eng., Aug. 11.—Asquith's government, which claims to represent the democracy of Great Britain, enforced its will upon the peerage by the narrow vote of 131 to 114. By this vote the house of lords decided to accept what the liberals contend is the will of the people and adopted Viscount Morley's motion not to insist upon the lords' amendments to the parliamentary bill. The measure as passed practically limits the power of the house of lords to a two years' suspensory vote and vastly increases the prerogatives of the house of commons.

The great constitutional struggle, which began when the house of lords, nearly two years ago, rejected the budget of David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer, is ended, for a time at least, and with the greatest chance to Great Britain's working constitution since the passage of the reform bill.

The process of voting consumed nearly an hour and result trembled in the balance until the last moment. The "die hards" mustered greater strength than was anticipated, and the government owed its victory to the votes of between twenty and thirty conservatives who threw in their lot with the liberals to save their own caste from loss of prestige and the king from the necessity of creation of a large number of new peers, from which every one believed he was extremely anxious to be saved.

The archbishops of Canterbury and York and nine bishops also lined up with the government, although the ecclesiastical lords generally kept aloof from party questions. The bishops of Bangor and Worcester went with the Halsburyites, the "last ditchers."

The highest ranks of the nobility furnished the fewest supporters of the government.

A radical departure from the principle of gratuitous public service which hitherto has prevailed in the house of commons was provided for when the house, by a vote of 256 to 159, adopted a resolution to pay its members \$2,000 annually for their services.

## Mob Rule on London Docks.

London, Aug. 11.—The neighborhood of the docks was practically under mob rule, with the result that there was such a dwindling of food supplies that the metropolis experienced something akin to what might happen if a hostile foreign force should succeed in interrupting Great Britain's trade routes.

Unless good progress is made in the negotiations looking to a settlement of the strike of dock workers, the calling out of troops seems inevitable, as the police are unable to deal with the emergency.

## Settle With Coal Porters.

London, Aug. 11.—The trouble with the coal porters was settled at the board of trade conference. The demands of the lightermen and carmen are to be adjusted. Troops at Aldershot were held in readiness throughout the day to proceed to London, if the disturbances continued.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

## Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Wheat—Sept., 92½c; Dec., 96½c@96½c; May, \$1.02½c. Corn—Sept., 65½c; Dec., 62½c@63c. Oats—Sept., 41½c; Dec., 44½c@45c. Fork—Sept., \$17.25; Jan., \$16.55. Lard—Sept., \$8.95; Jan., \$8.70. Ribs—Sept., \$9.22½c; Jan., \$8.37½c. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 91½@93c; No. 2 corn, 65@66c; No. 2 oats, 39½c.

## South Omaha Live Stock.

South Omaha, Aug. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,300; slow and weak; beef steers, \$5.30@7.35; cows and heifers, \$2.75@5.20; stockers and feeders, \$3.25@4.55; bulls, \$3.15@4.00; calves, \$2.50@6.00. Hogs—Receipts, 6,300; 10c lower; for the ordinary run of butchers it was largely a \$7.15@7.20 trade; smooth lights reached \$7.55, with the bulk at \$7.15@7.30. Sheep—Receipts, 5,400; steady; toppy wethers moved around \$3.25@3.40; hand yearlings brought \$4.60, and good lambs sold up to \$6.75.

## Chicago Live Stock Market.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; steady; beeves, \$5.00@7.65; western steers, \$4.10@6.40; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@5.50; cows and heifers, \$2.25@6.10; calves, \$5.75@8.00. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; steady; light, \$7.20@7.80; mixed, \$7.00@7.80; heavy, \$6.85@7.70; rough, \$6.85@7.10; pigs, \$6.00@7.65; bulk, \$7.25@7.65. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; steady to 10c up; native, \$2.25@3.75; western, \$2.50@3.75; yearlings, \$3.75@4.75; lambs, \$3.75@7.00.

## A. W. LAFFERTY.

Oregon Congressman  
Who Insists Letter to  
Girl Was Not Insult.



## WANTS

Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three times a week. For each line over the three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

FOR SALE—408 acres of fine land at only \$25.00 per acre, and a fine fruit farm (4,000 trees) for \$100 per acre.

R. L. McDUGAL,  
Attorney of Title, Ins. and Loans.

"For Sale," "For Rent" and "Rooms for Rent" cards at this office only 1¢ each.

FOR RENT—After July 1st, good stone building, South Main street. See J. F. Roelofson. 3-11

STRAYED—Last Thursday, Poland China sow, will weigh about 250 pounds. Reward for information. F. W. Vandersloot, 117 West Third street.

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—A gray mule, answering to the name of "Percy." Return to Maud McMillan, West Third street, and receive reward.

LOST—A Platte Valley bank check book, with stubs. Return to Democrat-Forum office.

LOST—Between J. H. Alexander's and Union school house, gold bracelet. Signet engraved in old English with "Lyons" on either side. Call or notify D. R. Alexander, Orrsburg, Mo., or Democrat-Forum. Reward. 9-11

FOR SALE—Eight acres improved in Southeast Maryville. Lella Bonewitz, 1304 East Cooper street, Hanamo 493 Red. 9-11

WANTED—Four or five furnished rooms, modern, for light housekeeping for the school year. Phone or write Fred B. Sheley, Hopkins, Mo. 10-12

FOR SALE—Cow, at the Seminary building. 10-16

ATTENTION!—If the line isn't busy, and you get your telephone batteries from us, you can talk anywhere, any time. Of course you know me. L. R. Holt. 7-12

PIANO BARGAIN—We have a practically new piano procured from the Maryville Publishing company, taken in part settlement for another instrument. In order to save further expense we will sell very cheap for cash or payments as low as \$6.00 per month. For particulars write Oney Music Co., St. Joseph, Mo. 28-d&w-tf

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-tf

(First insertion Aug. 5, last Aug. 23.)

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION IN  
THE CITY OF MARYVILLE,  
NODAWAY COUNTY,  
MISSOURI.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the provisions of ordinance No. 514, of the City of Maryville, Missouri, passed and approved by the board of aldermen of said city at a session thereof, regularly opened and held on the 4th day of August, 1911, a special election will be held in said city on Thursday, the 24th day of August, 1911, for the purpose of testing the sense of the qualified voters of said city upon a proposition to increase the indebtedness of said city by issuing bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars in the manner provided by law for the purpose of constructing or purchasing, improving and extending a water works system to supply said city and all persons, firms and corporations therein with water, and also to provide for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal at maturity.

The polling places for said special election shall be as follows:

First ward—City hall.

Second ward—Robey's garage.

Third ward—Gray's feed yard.

Fourth ward—Nodaway Manufacturing company's shop, 114 East Second street.

Tickets will be provided for said special election in the following form:

"For increase of debt—Yes."

"For increase of debt—No."

The former of which shall be taken as a vote assenting to such increase of debt, and the latter as dissenting therefrom.

If the returns show two-thirds of the legal voters of said city voting at said special election have assented to the increasing of said indebtedness of said city in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) for the purpose hereinbefore recited, then the mayor and the board of aldermen, by proper ordinance, shall declare such result, and may cause bonds of said city to be issued covering the amount of said indebtedness in manner and form as provided by section 9547, Revised Statutes of Missouri, for 1909, and also to provide for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest of such indebtedness as it falls due, and to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof at maturity.

The memorandum date March 28, was written in Solicitor McCabe's office, said Dr. Dunlap.

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Dr. Dunlap said he reported the whole matter verbally to Secretary Wilson and on the latter's suggestion they prepared a written memorandum.

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"No, to keep it from being generally discussed," was the reply.

"Isn't it a fact that you gave Dr. Wiley no chance to explain the case when he was in Washington March 27?"

"That's a fact."

Attest:—Seal.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor.

C. L. GANN, City Clerk.

## PROFESSIONAL CARDS

## B. R. Martin's Law Office.

I have opened a law office in the J. B. Robinson building, first stairway north of the Nodaway Valley bank, where I can be found Saturday of each week. Will come any time by appointment. B. R. MARTIN, Maryville, Mo.

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Attorney and Counselor at Law. Office over Maryville National Bank, Maryville, Mo.

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Deputy State Veterinarian and Stock Inspector.

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NO. 59.

## REGENTS' MEETING

### YESTERDAY'S RESULTS IN THE MINK LEAGUE

THE BOARD MET AT ST. JOSEPH THURSDAY IN BUSINESS SESSION.

## HADLEY AT DEDICATION

The Governor Will Be Secured for Address—Marshall and Sureties Sued on Bond.

A meeting of the board of regents of the State Normal school was held in St. Joseph Thursday to take up several important matters. Members of the board in attendance at the meeting were W. A. Blagg, Maryville; O. P. Williams, Plattsburg; W. F. Franklin, Tarkio; W. G. Hine, Savannah, and J. D. O'Brien, St. Joseph. H. J. Hughes of Trenton, and State Superintendent Evans of Jefferson City were not able to attend. President Taylor of the Normal and Registrar Rickenbode were present at the meeting.

The regents issued certificates and life diplomas to the graduates of the summer term which has just closed. These graduates will be credited to the class of 1912, as the school year now extends from June to June.

As the building is completed and nearly all the furniture installed, the board decided that the dedication exercises be held in the latter part of October or the first of November. The matter was, however, left in the hands of President Taylor.

Governor Hadley will be secured for the main address at the dedication exercises. There will also be many other noted speakers. President Taylor intends to make the affair one that will be long remembered in the history of the school.

An addition of a second boiler to the heating plant of the school will be put in soon, as steps were taken at the meeting Thursday.

A water plug is to be put in near the Normal building for fire protection to the school.

The board directed that steps be taken and a suit instituted against D. E. Marshall & Co. and the bonding company. Marshall had the contract for the construction of the school building, and gave it up several months ago. Some of the work done in the building was not up to specifications and plans and some of it was done over this summer. As Marshall did not come up to his contract he and the surety company will have to stand good for the payment of the work done over. Cook, Cummins & Dawson are the attorneys for the board of regents in this matter.

The fall term of the school opens September 6, and a large enrollment is expected.

## COUNTY COURT AD- JOURNED TODAY

County court was still in session Friday, County Treasurer Williams making his semi-annual settlement with the court. The court ordered that \$2,000 be transferred from the bridge fund to the salary fund, \$1,000 from the bridge fund to the contingent fund, and \$2,000 from the pauper to the contingent fund. The court will adjourn this evening, after being in session since the first of the week.

## OAKERSON BACK FROM COLUMBIA

County Superintendent William M. Oakerson returned Friday from Columbia, Mo., where he has been taking special work in the summer school of the university. Miss Frances Hartman and Miss Lois Halley also returned Friday from Columbia, where they have been taking work during the summer term.

Latest stationery for correspondence at Crane's.

## SUIT FILED AGAINST WABASH FOR KILLING PIGS

Suit was filed Friday by Attorney P. L. Grawney for F. H. Barber against the Wabash Railway company. The petition states that three pigs were badly injured as a result of being struck by a train on July 23, 1911. The pigs were valued at \$30 and the suit is for that amount.

Miss Eva Vandersloot went to St. Joseph Wednesday evening to visit friends and relatives.

### At the Chautauqua

We can supply your wants as well at the grounds as in our store. Checking booth, stamps, post cards, souvenirs, etc.

### Hotchkiss's Variety Store

106 South Main St.

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Mink League Standing.

	Won.	Lost	Prct.
Falls City	44	29	.602
Auburn	39	35	.527
Shenandoah	35	36	.514
Humboldt	37	36	.507
Clarinda	34	40	.459
Nebraska City	29	45	.332

Humboldt, Neb., Aug. 11.—Falls City took the first game of the series yesterday in a pitchers' battle. The score:

R.H.E.

Falls City	.....	0 0 1 0 0 0 1 0	— 2 7 1
Humboldt	.....	0 0 0 0 1 0 0 0	— 1 5 4

Batteries—Justus, Wheatley and Dietz; McCabe and Vanderhill. Umpire—Kissane.

Clarinda, Ia., Aug. 11.—Yesterday's game was forfeited to Clarinda by the score of 9 to 6 in the ninth inning with the score 4 to 3 in favor of Shenandoah.

Auburn, Neb., Aug. 11.—Williford of Nebraska City and Macon of Auburn had a great pitchers' battle yesterday, in which Auburn was let down with out hit and no runs. The score:

R.H.E.

Nebraska City	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 1 0	— 1 6 1
Auburn	.....	0 0 0 0 0 0 0 0	— 0 1 4

Batteries—Macon and Kraninger; Williford and Pinkerton. Umpires—Meyers and Kratsberg.

## HENRY L. JOST MARRIED IN KANSAS CITY

The Kansas City Post had the following in yesterday's issue about the marriage of Henry L. Jost, assistant prosecuting attorney of Jackson county, who was formerly a resident of this county and is favorably well known here:

Henry L. Jost, assistant prosecuting attorney, was married yesterday morning to Miss Minnie Alice Hanks of 2727 Cherry street. The ceremony took place at the St. John's Episcopal church, the Rev. Carl Reed Taylor officiating. The bride is the daughter of E. P. Hanks of the above address and recently moved to Kansas City from Oak Grove, Mo. Jost tried to keep his marriage a secret at the prosecutor's office. Mr. and Mrs. Jost left last night for a month's trip through the lake region, visiting Toronto, New York City, Washington, Chicago, Point Comfort and St. Louis.

## ELMO TO HAVE ELEC- TION ON SEPTEMBER 5

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## BAPTIST ASSOCIATION TO MEET IN ATCHISON CO.

The Northwest Missouri Baptist association is to be held on August 24, 25 and 26, at the Bethany church in Atchison county. Captain Charles Hyslop of this city is moderator of the association. Rev. Lee Harrel of the First Baptist church of this city is on the program for an address. H. W. Hull is on the program to lead a devotional service.

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## I. O. O. F. CONCLAVE

TO BE HELD AT BURLINGTON JUNCTION ON SEPTEMBER 4.

## BE BIG EVENT FOR LODGE

Good Speakers Are Secured and the Affair Promises to Be a Successful One for Odd Fellowship.

The I. O. O. F. conclave to be held in Burlington Junction on Labor day, September 4, promises to be a great success this year. Nodaway, Atchison, Holt and Gentry county Odd Fellows will take part in the meeting. The committee on speakers for the occasion have been successful in securing some noted Odd Fellows, who will deliver addresses. Deputy Grand Master Rev. A. Sterling of Smithton, Grand Warden Henry A. Hamilton, Grand Instructor Morris Pritchell, Mrs. Ionia M. Sullivan of Kansas City, state president of the Rebekah assembly, and Mrs. Myrtle Ennis of Kansas City have already been secured for speeches.

J. H. Bryant of Burlington Junction is grand master of the Odd Fellows, and he will be master of ceremonies.

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## The Democrat-Forum

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Largest Circulation in  
Nodaway County.

REV. HOMER COOK HAS  
MANSFIELD'S OLD RING

(Kansas City Star.)

The Rev. Homer M. Cook, 3105 Tracy avenue, has a ring that, if it could speak, could tell an interesting story. It was once the property of Richard Mansfield. Mr. Cook obtained it from a hotel manager in Maryville, Mo., a short time ago; the hotel manager had obtained it from a guest who said he had purchased it at a pawnshop in a small town in Kansas. None of the purchasers knew the story of the ring, nor knew the original owner.

Mr. Cook bought it simply because he is interested in curious rings, and he did not learn who the owner had been until he casually showed it to W. J. Gurney, a jeweler at 115 East Eleventh street. Singularly enough, Mr. Gurney had a gum cast of the ring furnished by the man who designed the ring for Mansfield, George Krieke, a designer in the Missouri building.

Mr. Krieke, who designed the ring while working in Chicago, said that it originally contained a \$10,000 ruby. It is a large gold ring with a Masonic emblem, and now contains a sapphire in place of the ruby. The emblem on the ring is the representation of a door to a temple. On each side are the five columns, Tuscan, Doric, Ionic, Corinthian, Composite. The mounting alone is worth \$100. Mr. Gurney said. Between the columns are the colors green, red, blue and white. Mr. Cook gave the hotel keeper \$50 for the ring, and was told that it had been left at the hotel by a traveling salesman several years before. All efforts of the hotel keeper to find the owner failed.

Mr. Cook was surprised to learn who had been the owner of the ring, and is now trying to learn how it ever got out of Mansfield's possession.

Mrs. Maggie Bashford of Ravenvwood, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned to her home Friday morning, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Mary Frawley of Colorado Springs, Col., who will visit her for some time.

Mrs. S. J. Effner of Forest City was in Maryville from Saturday until Wednesday visiting her daughter, Miss Grace Effner, who was a State Normal student this summer. They returned home Wednesday night.

Mrs. C. S. Heimbauch and daughter, Maxine, of Kansas City arrived in Maryville Thursday on a visit to her brothers, E. H. and G. P. Balmum, and Arthur and Shell Garten and their families.

Floyd Cottrill and his sister, Miss Jeannette Cottrill, living south of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Thursday morning to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cottrill, and other relatives.

Brintnell Embree was in St. Joseph Thursday with a load of lambs of Thursday's market.

## Stop Frowning

Frowns are a pretty sure indication of weak eyes or defective vision — also that a good pair of glasses are needed; they will improve your looks as well as your eyesight.

## Wear Proper Glasses

Glasses to fit your needs must fit your features as well as your eyes. We can do both to your entire satisfaction.

YOU WILL LOOK WELL  
AND SEE WELL  
IF YOU HAVE THEM  
FITTED AT

Raines Brothers  
Optical Company  
109 West Third Street.

NEWS OF SOCIETY  
AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 1.)

Kay Hempstead, substitute.  
Wolves—John H. Anderson, pitcher; Edwin Goodspeed, catcher; G. B. Holmes, Sr., first base; Edwin Hull, second base; G. W. Hempstead, third base; Charles Hyslop, right field; Rev. Lee Harrel, left field; Clark Andrews, center field. Chastain Harrel, substitute.

Everybody there was a dandy baseball fan and the players got all the encouragement they wanted. No "pep" was needed.

During the dinner hour the literary part of the day's program came off. It was a debate between G. B. Holmes, Sr., and Rev. Harrel as to whether Dr. Cook or Peary discovered the north pole. Deacon Holmes is always at his best when eating fried chicken, and came out of the debate with flying colors. It was the unanimous decision of all that Dr. Cook found the pole.

In the rope jumping contest Mrs. G. B. Holmes and Mrs. Eugene Odgen were the champions.

## King Was Paroled.

Samuel King, who was sent from Nodaway county to the state penitentiary from Nodaway county in December, 1907, was paroled by Governor Hadley this week. King was sent for five years for burglary. He is 77 years old.

W. M. Hogue, traveling freight agent for the Chicago Great Western at Des Moines was in the city Friday on business.

Mrs. George Garrett and little son, Carl, who have been visiting the past two weeks at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Cook, left Thursday for their home at Hamburg, Ia.

Miss Chloe Cormaney of Savannah came to Maryville Friday for the teachers' examination. Miss Cormaney was a State Normal student three years ago.

Miss Marie Bond of Graham left for her home Thursday morning, after a two weeks' visit with Miss Marie Cook of South Main street.

Mrs. Harvey Blagg and daughter, Bertha, of Barnard came to Maryville Friday and are guests of Mrs. Harvey Greeson, living southwest of the city.

Miss Mabel McCrary returned Friday from Omaha, where she has been buying goods for the McCrary Millinery company.

Miss Geneva Wilfley went to St. Joseph Friday, where she will be the guest of Misses Eisele and Hazel Little.

Miss Marian Kemp of Council Bluffs was in the city Friday on her way to Pickering to visit Mrs. Charles Winters.

Mrs. W. P. Howland and son, Forrest, left Friday morning for visits to relatives at Bolckow, Savannah and Cosby.

Mrs. Rhoda A. Cain was called to Amazonia Friday morning by the illness of her son, Roy Cain, who has typhoid fever.

E. E. Harper, civil engineer of the firm of Goodwin & Harper of Kansas City, was in Maryville Friday on business.

Misses Clara, Anna and Marie Davy-  
port have gone to Bolckow to visit their grandfather, David Lilly, a month.

Miss Ruby Melvin went to St. Joseph Friday morning to spend the day.

Miss Mabel Lytle went to Hopkins Friday to visit her grandmother, Mrs. Elizabeth Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moore of Ravenvwood were shopping in town Friday.

Misses Lou and Jennie Garrett left for Kansas City Friday.

Mrs. John Graham of Clyde was in Maryville Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Severs of Elmo were Maryville visitors Wednesday.

Alvah L. Kelley was in St. Joseph Thursday on business.

Mrs. R. E. Cook is visiting her son, George Cassell, at Hopkins.

## CHICHESTER'S PILLS

THE DIAMOND BRAND.

The Chichesters' Diamond Brand.

## FREE SAMPLE CURED OLD PERSON'S BOWEL TROUBLE

One of the most remarkable proofs of the unusual laxative merit contained in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is that it is effective not only in people in the prime of life, but at the extremes of ages. As many letters are received from mothers regarding the cures of children, as from men and women of sixty, seventy and eighty years of age. It must be truly a wonderful laxative.

In the cure of constipation and bowel trouble in old people it has no equal. It corrects the constipation, dispels the headache, biliousness, gas, drowsiness after eating, etc. People advancing in years should see to it that their bowels move freely, and if they do not to take Dr. Caldwell's

Syrup Pepsin. You can prolong your life by healthy bowel action. Clogged bowels invite disease. Women about to pass the menstrual period cannot do better than use Syrup Pepsin several times a week until the system has settled to its future condition.

Among the strongest supporters of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are Mr. W. G. Zorn of New Decatur, Ala., and Mr. George S. Spaulding of the National Soldiers' Home, Kansas, both elderly men. The regular size bottles can be bought of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar, but a free sample bottle can be had by sending your address to the doctor.

Address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

## Coal! Coal!

On deck again at the old stand, corner 5th and Main.

And I am ready to book your order for coal of any kind, from a wagon load to car load and want to figure with you for your winter's coal. Get my prices before you buy.

Peter Mergen

Visited Aged Father.

W. M. Shonley of Red Oak, Ia., left for his home Thursday, after a four days' visit in Maryville with his father, Joseph Shonley, and his brothers. His sister, Sister Edwards, who is a teacher in the Catholic mission school at Stephens, S. D., is here for her annual visit with her father.

Miss Bertha Goforth of Bolckow is visiting the family of her brother, W. E. Goforth.

## Saturday Specials

Asters all colors 40c doz.  
Gladiolus all colors 75c doz.  
Roses White, Pink and Shell  
Pink \$1.00 doz. short stem 75c  
doz. All fresh cut blooms.

ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES.  
1201 South Main Street.  
Hanamo 17-1-8, Bell 126.

## CRAIG POSTMASTER WAS ARRAIGNED

(Kansas City Times.)

Philip A. Thompson, postmaster at Craig, Mo., was arraigned yesterday afternoon before Roy B. Thomson, United States commissioner, on a charge of embezzling money order funds to the amount of \$1,707.59. The postoffice inspectors have been checking over his accounts since last February and found the alleged shortage. Thompson was brought to Kansas City late yesterday afternoon by Frank Frazier, a postoffice inspector. Thompson admits that he is short, but does not know how much. He waived preliminary hearing and was released on a \$2,000 bond.

### A CORROBORATION.

Of Interest to Maryville Readers, seen in these columns enthusiastic praise of Doan's Kidney Pills, by residents of this locality.

Would these prominent people recommend a remedy that had not proven reliable?

Would they confirm their statements after years had elapsed if personal experience had not shown the remedy to be worthy of endorsement?

No stronger proof of merit can be had than cures that have stood the test of time.

The following statement should carry conviction to the mind of every Maryville reader.

G. S. Kemp, R. F. D. No. 1, King City, Gentry county, Mo., says: "I give Doan's Kidney Pills my endorsement and I willingly confirm the statement I made in their favor some years ago. This remedy has been of great benefit to me and I advise other kidney sufferers to give it a trial."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, New York, sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no other.

Fine watch and jewelry repairing at Crane's.

## TARIFF TALK IN CONFERENCE

Joint Committee Holds Meeting and Goes Over All Bills.

## AGREEMENT ON THE FREE LIST

Senator La Follette and Representative Underwood Said to Have Come to an Understanding—Republicans Will Stand by Taft.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The subcommittee in charge of the wool revision bill having failed to reach an agreement, all the conference met today to again consider the entire tariff situation.

Mr. Underwood's statement that virtual agreement has been reached on the free list bill and the calling of the full ways and means committee in special meeting was interpreted by many Democrats to mean that Mr. Underwood is ready to present a form of free list agreement that can be quickly consummated with Senator La Follette, provided the committee authorizes it.

When Senator La Follette and Representative Underwood failed to reach an agreement they asked for a meeting of the full conference committee at which it was stated the entire situation with reference to the tariff would be considered.

The report gained rapid circulation that Mr. La Follette and Mr. Underwood had practically reached an understanding on the basis of a 30 per cent duty on raw wool, with corresponding rates on wool manufactures. Senator La Follette, however, contradicted this statement in positive language.

Mr. Underwood said the conference had "talked out the free list bill."

"I think we will have no difficulty in arriving at an agreement on that measure," he added.

Leaders Will Stand by Taft.

Republican leaders of the senate and house flocked to the White House to inform President Taft that they would fight to the last ditch before they allowed either the senate or house to pass any measure over the presidential veto. "We do not propose to let any attempt at making laws over the head of the president go through without a fight," said Republican Whip John Dwight. Senator Murray Crane of Massachusetts backed up this statement.

Apparently convinced that there is no prospect of an adjournment of congress soon, President Taft left for a second week-end trip to Beverly, Mass.

### STATEHOOD BILL READY FOR VETO.

The bill admitting Arizona and New Mexico to statehood passed its last legislative stage when the house agreed to the minor senate amendments to the measure. The bill now goes to President Taft, who, it is expected, will veto it.

### ZIONIST CONGRESS MEETS

David Wolffsohn, Leader of Movement, Decides to Retire.

Basel, Switzerland, Aug. 11.—The tenth Zionist congress opened at the city casino with 500 delegates, representing nearly every part of the globe, taking part and some 2,000 spectators in the galleries. David Wolffsohn of Cologne, the president, reviewed the immense progress of the Zionist movement despite the great obstacles of the opposition.

Max Nordau followed with an address depicting in darkest tints the present situation of the Jews in eastern Europe. The Zionist hope is the hope of those Jews who wish to live.

David Wolffsohn, leader of the Zionist movement since the death of the founder, Theodore Hertzl, has decided to retire because of ill health. Prof. Otto Warburg of Berlin, a kinsman of Jacob P. Schiff, the New York banker, may succeed to this office. Herr Wolffsohn presided at the opening of the tenth Zionist conference here.

### RAPS MONETARY COMMISSION

Mr. Cummins Says It Is Retreat for lame Ducks.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The alleged extravagance of the national monetary commission was arraigned in the Senate by Cummins of Iowa.

"The commission," he charged, "has become a place for men who have lost favor with their constituents and have been defeated at the polls."

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## DIVIDES COUNTRY INTO RATE ZONES

Formal Order in Pacific Coast Freight Tariff Cases Issued.

## MATERIAL REDUCTION IS MADE

New Rates Are to Be Made Effective by Nov. 15—United States Is Divided Into Five Zones or Districts—Limits Placed on Charges.

Washington, Aug. 11.—Formal orders in the Pacific coast freight rate cases supplementing the decisions rendered two weeks ago, were issued by the interstate commerce commission. Material reductions in both class and commodity freight rates are made from Atlantic coast points of origin to inter Rocky mountain cities—and others similarly situated—although the carriers are permitted on account of water competition to exact rates somewhat less to Pacific coast terminals than to the intermediate points.

The orders just issued define explicitly the rates indicated in the opinions as reasonable and require the carriers engaged in transcontinental traffic to establish the rates fixed by the commission on or before November 15, 1911. To insure an equitable and convenient disposition of all cases which involve a construction of the long and short haul provisions of the law, the commission divides the United States into five zones, described as follows:

Zone 1—All territory lying west of a line called line No. 1, which extends in a general southerly direction from a point immediately east of Grand Portage, Minn., southwesterly, along the western shore of Lake Superior, to a point immediately east of Superior, Wis., thence southerly to the intersection of the Arkansas and Oklahoma state lines; thence along the Kansas City Southern to the Gulf of Mexico.

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Zone 3—All territory lying west of line No. 2 and north of a line extending from Norfolk, Va., to Paducah, Ky., and west of line No. 3 from Buffalo, N. Y., to Wheeling, W. Va., and thence along the Ohio river to Huntington, W. Va.

Zone 4—All territory east of line No. 3 and north of the Norfolk-Paducah line.

Zone 5—All territory lying south of Norfolk-Paducah line and east of the Mobile and Ohio railroad, known as the southeastern territory.

The railways are not permitted to exact higher commodity charges from points in Zone 1 to intermediate points than to Pacific coast terminals. From points in Zone 2 permission is granted to charge commodity rates to points intermediate to Pacific terminals, 7 per cent higher than to the terminals; from Zone 3, 15 per cent higher, and from Zone 4, 25 per cent higher. No order is made as to the rates from Zone 5.

### WOMAN MUST SERVE TERM

Court at Iola, Kan., Refuses to Change Decree in Case of Mrs. Reese.

Iola, Kan., Aug. 11.—"It was the sake of the welfare of the boys of Iola that I decreed that Mrs. Ella Reese should go to the rock pile, and I positively will not back down from that decree," declared Judge Smeltzer of the Iola municipal court. Mrs. Reese remained in jail where Judge Smeltzer declared she should remain until she is willing to work out her fine on the street with men prisoners.

"While the flood gates of sympathy are loosened in behalf of the woman," Judge Smeltzer said, "it should be remembered there is another side to the case. With tears streaming down her cheeks the mother of a boy entered my office the other night. 'Where is my boy, judge?' she said. 'They told me you've got him.' I pointed to the jail and told the mother that her boy was in a cell with several others. I believe Mrs. Reese hired these boys into trouble. I wish her offense were a felony and she could be sent to prison."

Killed When Auto Wheel Breaks.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Aug. 11.—Fred Wells of Somers, Ia., was instantly killed when the spokes of the right front wheel of his automobile gave way while he was driving twenty-five miles an hour. Wells was thrown out on his head and his neck broken. Four other occupants of the car were hurt but none seriously. A baby in the party was found unhurt twenty feet away.

Falls From Cliff; Drowned in River.

Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 11.—G. Herold, aged thirty-five years, was drowned in the Des Moines river. While standing on a high cliff Herold became dizzy and toppled over into the river. He was drowned before aid could reach him.

Condition of Pope Much Improved.

Rome, Aug. 11.—Dr. Petacci and Prof. Marchisava visited Pope Pius and found his condition improved.

## Hudson & Welch

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SECOND  
YEAR

### SALEM ITEMS.

The threshing machine is yet with us, but the drouth has gone.

Some men in the threshing fields complained of heat the last few days.

A. B. Crane is enjoying the visit of his sister from Illinois.

Mr. Joe Short has a brother-in-law visiting him from Omaha.

The revival meeting at Dawson is being largely attended and great interest is being taken.

There will be some changes at the church throughout this month. The pastor is taking a vacation to Spickard for a few weeks' meeting, while

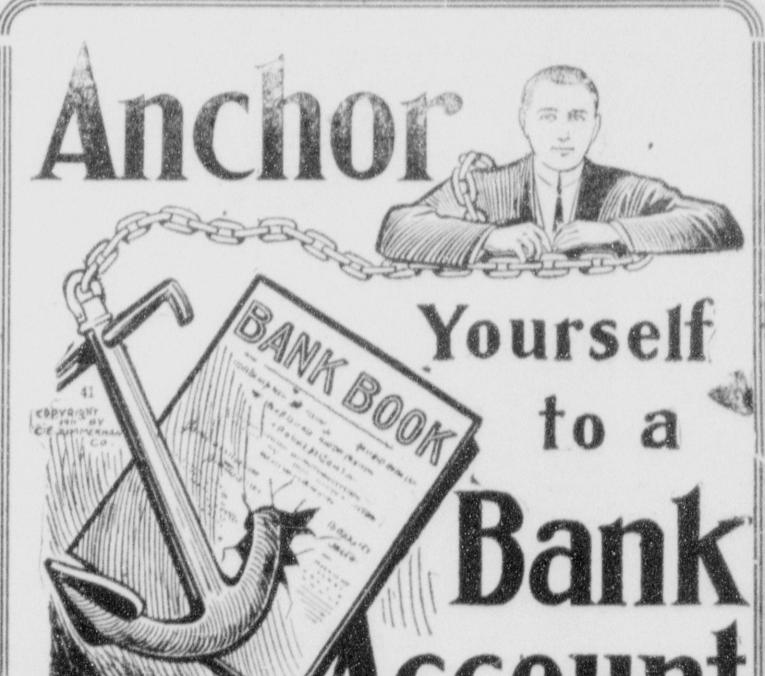
his pulpit is to be filled by other men, some of the laity.

Martin Casey has enjoyed the presence in his home of his brother from Kansas City.

There will be a new broom at the church Sunday morning. Better go.

### Going to Dakota.

Master Joe Miller went to Barnard Thursday evening to spend a few days with his sister, Mrs. Marvin Boyles. He will go to Gullford to visit and then accompany his brother, Roy Miller, to New Salem, N. D., where he will probably spend the winter.



A STEADY purpose in this life is one of the best aids to success. If that purpose be the resolve to save money your success will be sure and satisfactory.

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REV. HOMER COOK HAS  
MANSFIELD'S OLD RING

(Kansas City Star)

The Rev. Homer M. Cook, 3105

Tracy avenue, has a ring that, if it could speak, could tell an interesting story. It was once the property of Richard Mansfield. Mr. Cook obtained it from a hotel manager in Maryville, Mo., a short time ago; the hotel manager had obtained it from a guest who said he had purchased it at a pawnshop in a small town in Kansas. None of the purchasers knew the story of the ring, nor knew the original owner.

Mr. Cook bought it simply because he is interested in curious rings, and he did not learn who the owner had been until he casually showed it to W. J. Gurney, a jeweler at 115 East Eleventh street. Singularly enough, Mr. Gurney had a gum cast of the ring furnished by the man who designed the ring for Mansfield, George Kriek, a designer in the Missouri building.

Mr. Kriek, who designed the ring while working in Chicago, said that it originally contained a \$10,000 ruby. It is a large gold ring with a Masonic emblem, and now contains a sapphire in place of the ruby. The emblem on the ring is the representation of a door to a temple. On each side are the five columns, Tuscan, Doric, Ionic, Corinthian, Composite. The mounting alone is worth \$100 Mr. Gurney said. Between the columns are the colors green, red, blue and white. Mr. Cook gave the hotel keeper \$50 for the ring, and was told that it had been left at the hotel by a traveling salesman several years before. All efforts of the hotel keeper to find the owner failed.

Mr. Cook was surprised to learn who had been the owner of the ring, and is now trying to learn how it ever got out of Mansfield's possession.

Mrs. Maggie Bashford of Ravenvwood, who has been visiting friends in the city, returned to her home Friday morning, accompanied by her sister, Mrs. Mary Frawley of Colorado Springs, Col., who will visit her for some time.

Mrs. S. J. Effner of Forest City was in Maryville from Saturday until Wednesday visiting her daughter, Miss Grace Effner, who was a State Normal student this summer. They returned home Wednesday night.

Mrs. C. S. Heimbach and daughter, Maxine, of Kansas City arrived in Maryville Thursday on a visit to her brothers, E. H. and G. P. Balmum, and Arthur and Shell Garten and their families.

Floyd Cottrill and his sister, Miss Jeannette Cottrill, living south of Maryville, went to St. Joseph Thursday morning to visit their grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. C. Cottrill, and other relatives.

Brintnell Embree was in St. Joseph Thursday with a load of lambs of Thursday's market.

## Stop Frowning

Frowns are a pretty sure indication of weak eyes or defective vision — also that a good pair of glasses are needed; they will improve your looks as well as your eyesight.

## Wear Proper Glasses

Glasses to fit your needs must fit your features as well as your eyes. We can do both to your entire satisfaction.

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NEWS OF SOCIETY  
AND WOMEN'S CLUBS

(Continued from page 1.)

Kay Hempstead, substitute.  
Wolves — John H. Anderson, pitcher;  
Edwin Goodspeed, catcher; G. B.  
Holmes, Sr., first base; Edwin Hull,  
second base; G. W. Hempstead, third  
base; Charles Hyslop, right field;  
Rev. Lee Harrel, left field; Clark An-  
drews, center field. Chastain Harrel,  
substitute.

Everybody there was a dandy base  
ball fan and the players got all the en-  
couragement they wanted. No "pep"  
was needed.

During the dinner hour the literary  
part of the day's program came off. It  
was a debate between G. B. Holmes,  
Sr., and Rev. Harrel as to whether Dr.  
Cook or Peary discovered the north  
pole. Deacon Holmes is always at his  
best when eating fried chicken, and  
came out of the debate with flying  
colors. It was the unanimous decision  
of all that Dr. Cook found the pole.

In the rope jumping contest Mrs.  
G. B. Holmes and Mrs. Eugene Ogden  
were the champions.

## King Was Paroled.

Samuel King, who was sent from  
Nodaway county to the state peniten-  
tary from Nodaway county in Decem-  
ber, 1907, was paroled by Governor  
Hadley this week. King was sent for  
five years for burglary. He is 77  
years old.

W. M. Hogue, traveling freight  
agent for the Chicago Great Western  
at Des Moines was in the city Friday on  
business.

Mrs. George Garrett and little son,  
Carl, who have been visiting the past  
two weeks at the home of her parents,  
Mr. and Mrs. Paul J. Cook, left Thurs-  
day for their home at Hamburg, Ia.

Miss Chloe Cormaney of Savannah  
came to Maryville Friday for the  
teachers' examination. Miss Cormaney  
was a State Normal student three  
years ago.

Miss Marie Bond of Graham left for  
her home Thursday morning, after a  
two weeks' visit with Miss Marie Cook  
of South Main street.

Mrs. Harvey Blagg and daughter,  
Bertha, of Barnard came to Maryville  
Friday and are guests of Mrs. Harve  
Greeeson, living southwest of the city.

Miss Mabel McCrary returned Fri-  
day from Omaha, where she has been  
buying goods for the McCrary Mil-  
linery company.

Miss Geneva Wilfley went to Stan-  
berry Friday, where she will be the  
guest of Misses Elsie and Hazel Lit-  
gett.

Miss Marian Kemp of Council Bluffs  
was in the city Friday on her way to  
Pickering to visit Mrs. Charles Wol-  
fers.

Mrs. W. P. Howland and son, For-  
rest, left Friday morning for visits  
to relatives at Boickow, Savannah and  
Cosby.

Mrs. Rhoda A. Cain was called to  
Amazonia Friday morning by the ill-  
ness of her son, Roy Cain, who has  
typhoid fever.

E. E. Harper, civil engineer of the  
firm of Goodwin & Harper of Kansas  
City, was in Maryville Friday on busi-  
ness.

Misses Clara, Anna and Marie Dav-  
enport have gone to Boickow to visit  
their grandfather, David Lilly, a  
month.

Miss Ruby Melvin went to St. Jo-  
seph Friday morning to spend the  
day.

Miss Mabel Lytle went to Hopkins  
Friday to visit her grandmother, Mrs.  
Elizabeth Ingram.

Mr. and Mrs. Everett Moore of Ra-  
venwood were shopping in town Fri-  
day.

Misses Lou and Jennie Garrett left  
for Kansas City Friday.

Mrs. John Graham of Clyde was in  
Maryville Thursday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. John Severs of Elmo  
were Maryville visitors Wednesday.

Alvah L. Kelley was in St. Joseph  
Thursday on business.

Mrs. R. E. Cook is visiting her son,  
George Cassell, at Hopkins.

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You Can Buy a Season Reserved Seat for 75 cents.  
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## Communications

## Guest from Red Oak.

Miss Margaret Steel of Red Oak, Ia.,  
arrived in Maryville Thursday evening  
and is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. A. J.  
Luppold. Mrs. Luppold is Miss Steel's  
niece. She has just returned from a  
trip to Colorado.

## Visitor from Hopkins.

Mrs. L. D. Dowling of Hopkins is in  
Maryville on a visit to her sister, Mrs.  
W. W. Jones. Mrs. Dowling is recov-  
ering nicely from a broken hip she  
sustained several months ago, and is  
able to walk without crutches.

## Children Went to Burlington Junction.

Mrs. Lowell Campbell has returned  
to her home in Barnard from a visit  
with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. A.  
Alkire. Her son and daughter, Dean  
and Fern, went to Burlington Junction  
to visit Mr. and Mrs. Bert Staples.

PROBATE COURT OF NODAWAY  
COUNTY, MISSOURI.

## Monday, August 14th.

1. Brady, Cathrine and Mary;  
Cathrine Brady, guardian.

2. Booth, Pearl Lucile; S. H. Kemp,  
curator.

3. Beedle, Frank T.; Ida A. J. Bee-  
del, administratrix.

4. Ball, Benjamin and Nancy; Sam-  
uel Hostetter, executor.

5. Broyles, Wilson; Samuel M.  
Chaney, administrator.

6. Bohart, John M.; Ida M. Bo-  
hart, curator.

7. Brown, Joseph; J. R. Johnson,  
curator.

8. Bohart, Ruel Peter; John G.  
Haist, administrator.

9. Borgman, John B.; Anna Borg-  
man, administratrix.

10. Brush, Abner C.; Minnie Gates,  
executrix.

11. Burch, Sarah J.; John F. Roel-  
fson, public administrator.

12. Carmichael, William; Henry T.  
Carmichael, guardian.

13. Campbell, Josephine, et al.;  
Anna M. Campbell, curator.

14. Cook, N. F.; R. E. Heflin, ex-  
ecutor.

15. Clayton, Daniel H.; D. S. Clay-  
ton, executor.

16. Carden, John W.; Joseph S.  
Carden, administrator.

17. Calhoun, Glen S.; James R.  
Robinson, guardian.

18. Collins, Ernest H.; Frank M.  
New, curator.

19. Durant, Matilda; Ora H. Ssy-  
ler, guardian.

20. Diggs, William Henry; Joseph  
H. Saylor, guardian.

21. Dean, Ralph; S. H. Kemp,  
guardian.

22. Epperson, Paul W.; Estella L.  
Epperson, executrix.

23. Frey, Charles; Anna Eastman,  
guardian.

24. Fannon, Charles N. and Beulah  
M.; Ellen E. Fannon, curator.

25. Gorman, Loretta; P. H. Gor-  
man, curator.

26. Hollensbe, Theodore M.; Chas.  
E. Hollensbe, administrator.

27. Halasey, Bridget; John Halas-  
ey, administrator.

28. Huey, Cyrus K.; Elizabeth A.  
Huey, administratrix.

29. Hill, William H.; William S.  
Linnville, administrator.

30. Herndon, Horace; James M.  
Herndon, curator.

31. Head, Eliza; W. C. Frank,  
guardian.

32. Hankins, Mary J.; Joseph H.  
Saylor, administrator.

33. Knudson, Christian; Edward S.  
Fannon, executor.

34. Long, Tyre H.; Madora Long  
executrix.

35. Montgomery, Charles A.; John  
D. Montgomery, guardian.

Tuesday, August 15th.

36. Middleton, George W.; J. Elmer  
Middleton, administrator.

37. Morris, Harry D. et al.; J. W.  
Carden, guardian.

38. Musick, James W. et al.; John  
E. Musick, curator.

39. Morehouse, Earl H.; Cyrus A.  
Morehouse, curator.

40. McGettigan, Sarah M. et al.;  
Michael McGettigan, curator.

Friday, August 18th.

41. McKillip, James B.; Joseph  
Jackson, Jr., guardian.

42. McComsey, William H.; E. M.  
Bailey, administrator.

43. McKee, Helen Miller; J. A.  
Miller, curator.

44. McDowell, John W.; Sarah Mc-  
Dowell, executrix.

45. McAdow, John S.; John A.  
Fields, administrator.

46. Nix, Mahala; William H. Young,  
administrator.

47. Ohlwiller, Catherine J.; J. E.  
McFarland, administrator.

48. Parnell, Richard; Estella Par-  
nell, curator.

49. Piper, Wilford and Bryan S.;  
John Z. Curnutt, public guardian.

50. Quirk, James; Joseph Jackson,  
administrator, C. T. A.

Saturday, August 19th.

51. Russell, Henry C.; David Rus-  
sell, administrator.

52. Roseier, Anthony; Christina  
Roseier, executrix.

53. Robinson, Charles; Florence A.  
Robinson, administratrix, D. B. N.

54. Spangler, Joseph H., et al.;  
Charles I. Hann, curator.

55. Stobaugh, Rachel; S. E. Browne,  
administrator.

56. Stephenson, Charles P.; War-  
ren L. Johnson, executor.

57. Townsend, Calista A.; Edna L.  
Parcher, administratrix.

58. Thompson, Charles F.; O. E.  
Thompson, curator.

59. Thompson, Truman; M. E.  
Thompson, curator.

60. Villing, Charles, et al.; Gamilla  
Villing, guardian.

## FREE SAMPLE CURED OLD PERSON'S BOWEL TROUBLE

One of the most remarkable proofs of the unusual laxative merit contained in Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin is that it is effective not only in people in the prime of life, but at the extremes of ages. As many letters are received from mothers regarding the cures of children, as from men and women of sixty, seventy and eighty years of age. It must be truly a wonderful laxative.

In the cure of constipation and bowel trouble in old people it has no equal. It corrects the constipation, dispels the headache, biliousness, gas, drowsiness after eating, etc. People advancing in years should see to it that their bowels move freely, and if they do not to take Dr. Caldwell's 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

Syrup Pepsin. You can prolong your life by healthy bowel action. Clogged bowels invite disease. Women about to pass the menstrual period cannot do better than use Syrup Pepsin several times a week until the system has settled to its future condition.

Among the strongest supporters of Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin are Mr. W. G. Zorn of New Decatur, Ala., and Mr. George S. Spaulding of the National Soldiers' Home, Kansas, both elderly men. The regular size bottles can be bought of any druggist at fifty cents and one dollar, but a free sample bottle can be had by sending your address to the doctor.

Address him Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 541 Caldwell building, Monticello, Ill.

## Coal! Coal!

On deck again at the old stand, corner 5th and Main.

And I am ready to book your order for coal of any kind, from a wagon load to car load and want to figure with you for your winter's coal. Get my prices before you buy.

Peter Mergen

Visited Aged Father.

W. M. Shonley of Red Oak, Ia., left for his home Thursday, after a four days' visit in Maryville with his father, Joseph Shonley, and his brothers. His sister, Sister Edwards, who is a teacher in the Catholic mission school at Stephens, S. D., is here for her annual visit with her father.

Miss Bertha Goforth of Bolckow is visiting the family of her brother, W. E. Goforth.

## Saturday Specials

Asters all colors 40c doz.  
Gladiolus all colors 75c doz.  
Roses White, Pink and Shell  
Pink \$1.00 doz. short stem 75c  
doz. All fresh cut blooms.

ENGELMANN GREENHOUSES.

1201 South Main Street.

Banana 17 1-8, Bell 126.

## CRAIG POSTMASTER WAS ARRAIGNED

(Kansas City Times.)

Philip A. Thompson, postmaster at Craig, Mo., was arraigned yesterday afternoon before Roy B. Thomson, United States commissioner, on a charge of embezzling money order funds to the amount of \$1,707.59. The postoffice inspectors have been checking over his accounts since last February and found the alleged shortage. Thompson was brought to Kansas City late yesterday afternoon by Frank Frazier, a postoffice inspector. Thompson admits that he is short, but does not know how much. He waived preliminary hearing and was released on a \$2,000 bond.

### A CORROBORATION.

Of Interest to Maryville Readers. seen in these columns enthusiastic praise of Doan's Kidney Pills, by residents of this locality.

Would these prominent people recommend a remedy that had not proven reliable?

Would they confirm their statements after years had elapsed if personal experience had not shown the remedy to be worthy of endorsement?

No stronger proof of merit can be had than cures that have stood the test of time.

The following statement should carry conviction to the mind of every Maryville reader.

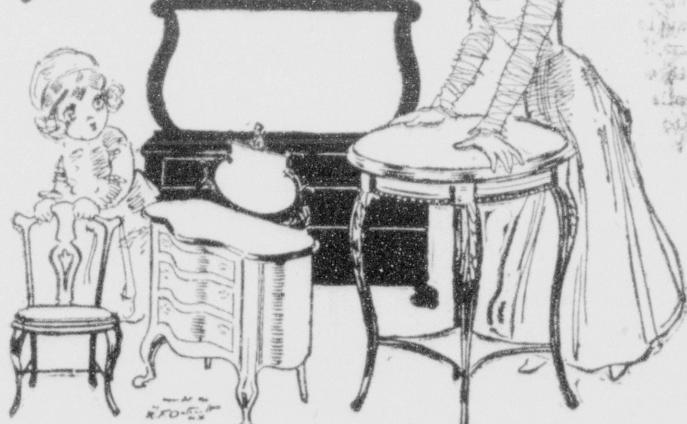
G. S. Kemp, R. F. D. No. 1, King City, Gentry county, Mo., says: "I give Doan's Kidney Pills my endorsement and I willingly confirm the statement I made in their favor some years ago. This remedy has been of great benefit to me and I advise other kidney sufferers to give it a trial."

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Fine watch and jewelry repairing at Crane's.

just come in  
and see  
our new  
furniture.



Dear Amy:-

I didn't think I needed any furniture, but I got an invitation from the leading reliable furniture store in town to "just come in and look around."

I went and was so tempted by the beautiful, serviceable new things I saw, that I bought a whole wagon load.

The prices were so reasonable and the things so pretty that I just couldn't help it. I got a nice, new, little chair for Baby John; he's so destructive.

Ta-Ta

Lou]

P. S.—The store I went to was

Price & McNeal

## TARIFF TALK IN CONFERENCE

Joint Committee Holds Meeting and Goes Over All Bills.

## AGREEMENT ON THE FREE LIST

Senator La Follette and Representative Underwood Said to Have Come to an Understanding—Republicans Will Stand by Taft.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The subcommittee committee in charge of the wool revision bill having failed to reach an agreement, all the conference met today to again consider the entire tariff situation.

Mr. Underwood's statement that virtual agreement has been reached on the free list bill and the calling of the full ways and means committee in special meeting was interpreted by many Democrats to mean that Mr. Underwood is ready to present a form of free list agreement that can be quickly consummated with Senator La Follette, provided the committee authorizes it.

When Senator La Follette and Representative Underwood failed to reach an agreement they asked for a meeting of the full conference committee at which it was stated the entire situation with reference to the tariff would be considered.

The report gained rapid circulation that Mr. La Follette and Mr. Underwood had practically reached an understanding on the basis of a 30 per cent duty on raw wool, with corresponding rates on wool manufactures. Senator La Follette, however, contradicted this statement in positive language.

Mr. Underwood said the conference had "talked out the free list bill."

"I think we will have no difficulty in arriving at an agreement on that measure," he added.

Leaders Will Stand by Taft.

Republican leaders of the senate and house flocked to the White House to inform President Taft that they would fight to the last ditch before they allowed either the senate or house to pass any measure over the presidential veto. "We do not propose to let any attempt at making laws over the head of the president go through without a fight," said Republican Whip John Dwight. Senator Murray Crane of Massachusetts backed up this statement.

Apparently convinced that there is no prospect of an adjournment of congress soon, President Taft left for a second weekend trip to Beverly, Mass.

Statehood Bill Ready for Veto.

The bill admitting Arizona and New Mexico to statehood passed its last legislative stage when the house agreed to the minor senate amendments to the measure. The bill now goes to President Taft, who, it is expected, will veto it.

ZIONIST CONGRESS MEETS

David Wolffsohn, Leader of Movement, Decides to Retire.

Basel, Switzerland, Aug. 11.—The tenth Zionist congress opened at the city casino with 500 delegates, representing nearly every part of the globe, taking part and some 2,000 spectators in the galleries. David Wolffsohn of Cologne, the president, reviewed the immense progress of the Zionist movement despite the great obstacles of the opposition.

Max Nordau followed with an address depicting in darkest tints the present situation of the Jews in eastern Europe. The Zionist hope is the hope of those Jews who wish to live.

David Wolffsohn, leader of the Zionist movement since the death of the founder, Theodore Hertzl, has decided to retire because of ill health. Prof. Otto Warburg of Berlin, a kinsman of Jacob P. Schiff, the New York banker, may succeed to this office. Herr Wolffsohn presided at the opening of the tenth Zionist conference here.

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Formal Order in Pacific Coast Freight Tariff Cases Issued.

## MATERIAL REDUCTION IS MADE

New Rates Are to Be Made Effective by Nov. 15—United States Is Divided Into Five Zones or Districts—Limits Placed on Charges.

Washington, Aug. 11.—The subcommittee committee in charge of the wool revision bill having failed to reach an agreement, all the conference met today to again consider the entire tariff situation.

Mr. Underwood's statement that virtual agreement has been reached on the free list bill and the calling of the full ways and means committee in special meeting was interpreted by many Democrats to mean that Mr. Underwood is ready to present a form of free list agreement that can be quickly consummated with Senator La Follette, provided the committee authorizes it.

The orders just issued define explicitly the rates indicated in the opinions as reasonable and require the carriers engaged in transcontinental traffic to establish the rates fixed by the commission on or before November 15, 1911. To insure an equitable and convenient disposition of all cases which involve a construction of the long and short haul provisions of the law, the commission divides the United States into five zones.

Zone 1—All territory lying west of a line called line No. 1, which extends in a general southerly direction from a point immediately east of Grand Portage, Minn., southwesterly, along the western shore of Lake Superior, to a point immediately east of Superior, Wis., thence southerly to the intersection of the Arkansas and Oklahoma state lines, thence along the Kansas City Southern to the Gulf of Mexico.

Zone 2—All territory lying east of line No. 1 and west of a line called line No. 2, which begins at the Canadian boundary immediately west of Cockburn Island, in Lake Huron, passes westerly through the straits of Mackinaw, southerly through Lake Michigan, southerly through Lake Michigan to Paducah, Ky., thence southerly to the Gulf of Mexico.

Zone 3—All territory lying west of line No. 2 and north of a line extending from Norfolk, Va., to Paducah, Ky., and west of line No. 3 from Buffalo, N. Y., to Wheeling, W. Va., and thence along the Ohio river to Huntington, W. Va.

Zone 4—All territory east of line No. 3 and north of the Norfolk-Paducah line.

Zone 5—All territory lying south of Norfolk-Paducah line and east of the Mobile and Ohio railroad, known as the southeastern territory.

The railroads are not permitted to exact higher commodity charges from points in Zone 1 to intermediate points than to Pacific coast terminals. From points in Zone 2 permission is granted to charge commodity rates to points intermediate to Pacific terminals, 7 per cent higher than to the terminals; from Zone 3, 15 per cent higher, and from Zone 4, 25 per cent higher. No order is made as to the rates from Zone 5.

WOMAN MUST SERVE TERM

Court at Iola, Kan., Refuses to Change Decree in Case of Mrs. Reese.

Iola, Kan., Aug. 11.—"It was the sake of the welfare of the boys of Iola that I decreed that Mrs. Ella Reese should go to the rock pile, and I positively will not back down from that decree," declared Judge Smeltzer of the Iola municipal court. Mrs. Reese remained in jail where Judge Smeltzer declared she should remain until she is willing to work out her fine on the street with men prisoners.

"While the flood gates of sympathy are loosened in behalf of the woman," Judge Smeltzer said, "it should be remembered there is another side to the case. With tears streaming down her cheeks the mother of a boy entered my office the other night. 'Where is my boy, judge?' she said. 'They told me you've got him.'

"I pointed to the jail and told the mother that her boy was in a cell with several others. I believe Mrs. Reese lured these boys into trouble. I wish her offense were a felony and she could be sent to prison."

Killed When Auto Wheel Breaks.

Fort Dodge, Ia., Aug. 11.—Fred Wells of Somers, Ia., was instantly killed when the spokes of the right front wheel of his automobile gave way while he was driving twenty-five miles an hour. Wells was thrown out on his head and his neck broken. Four other occupants of the car were hurt but none seriously. A baby in the party was found unhurt twenty feet away.

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Des Moines, Ia., Aug. 11.—G. Herold, aged thirty-five years, was drowned in the Des Moines river. While standing on a high cliff Herold became dizzy and toppled over into the river. He was drowned before aid could reach him.

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Condition of Pope Much Improved.

Rome, Aug. 11.—Dr. Petacci and Prof. Marchisava visited Pope Pius and found his condition improved.

## Hudson & Welch

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SECOND  
YEAR.

SALEM ITEMS.

The threshing machine is yet with us, but the drouth has gone.

Some men in the threshing fields complained of heat the last few days.

A. B. Crane is enjoying the visit of a sister from Illinois.

Mr. Joe Short has a brother-in-law visiting him from Omaha.

The revival meeting at Dawson is being largely attended and great interest is being taken.

There will be some changes at the church throughout this month. The pastor is taking a vacation to Spicerville for a few weeks' meeting, while

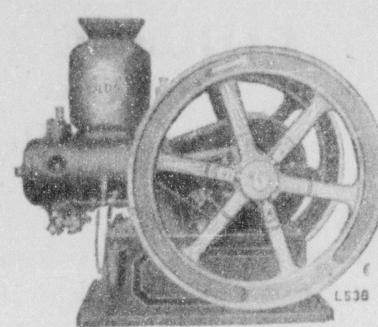
his pulpit is to be filled by other men, some of the laity.

Martin Casey has enjoyed the presence in his home of his brother from Kansas City.

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WILLIAM ARMSTRONG.



## Todays Markets

## LIVE STOCK MARKET.

CHICAGO.  
Cattle—2,000. Market strong. Estimate tomorrow, 200.  
Hogs—14,000. Market steady to strong; top, \$7.85. Estimate tomorrow, 10,000.  
Sheep—7,000. Market 10c higher.  
KANSAS CITY.  
Cattle—1,000. Market strong.  
Hogs—2,000. Market steady to strong; top, \$7.62.  
Sheep—2,000. Market 10c higher.  
ST. JOSEPH.  
Cattle—250.  
Hogs—2,500. Market steady to strong; top, \$7.60.  
Sheep—500. Market 10c higher.

## St. Louis Live Stock Market.

National Stock Yards, Ill., Aug. 10.—Cattle receipts, 4,000. Good grades steady, others shade lower; top, \$7.40. Fat cattle 10@15c higher for the week; others 15@25c lower.  
Hog receipts, 6,500. Market opened weak, mostly steady with best time yesterday; top, \$7.85; bulk, \$7.60@7.80.  
Sheep receipts, 4,000. Lambs 15@25c higher; top, \$7.00; sheep steady. For the week, lambs 35@50c higher; sheep unchanged.  
Indications for a hog advance favorable. Fat cattle and sheep look firm sellers.  
National Live Stock Commission Co.

(First insertion July 14; last Aug. 11.)

## NOTICE OF FINAL SETTLEMENT.

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned, John G. Haist, administrator of the estate of Ruel Peter Bohart, deceased, will make final settlement of his accounts with said estate as such administrator at the next term of the probate court of Nodaway county, Missouri, to be held at Maryville, in said county on the 14th day of August, A. D. 1911.

JOHN G. HAIST,  
Administrator.

## ELMO ITEMS.

Mr. Glenn Calhoun of Bedford, Ia., was visiting and transacting business in Elmo this week.

Preparations are being made to make the three days' picnic to be held here August 23, 24 and 25 a greater success than ever.

## Kane's Place

## Liquors,

## Wines,

## Cigars

Mail Orders Given Prompt Attention.

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VETO MEASURE

Two Years' Struggle Ends in Victory for House of Commons.

## POWER IS GREATLY LIMITED.

Prerogative of Lower Chamber of British Parliament Considerably Increased by Success of Its Bill—Commons Vote Themselves Pay.

London, Eng., Aug. 11.—Asquith's government, which claims to represent the democracy of Great Britain, enforced its will upon the peerage by the narrow vote of 131 to 114. By this vote the house of lords decided to accept what the liberals contend is the will of the people and adopted Viscount Morley's motion not to insist upon the lords' amendments to the parliamentary bill. The measure as passed practically limits the power of the house of lords to a two years suspensive vote and vastly increases the prerogatives of the house of commons.

The great constitutional struggle, which began when the house of lords nearly two years ago, rejected the budget of David Lloyd-George, chancellor of the exchequer, is ended, for a time at least, and with the greatest chance to Great Britain's working constitution since the passage of the reform bill.

The process of voting consumed nearly an hour and result trembled in the balance until the last moment. The "die hards" mustered greater strength than was anticipated, and the government owes its victory to the votes of between twenty and thirty conservatives who threw in their lot with the liberals to save their own caste from loss of prestige and the king from the necessity of creation of a large number of new peers, from which every one believed he was extremely anxious to be saved.

The archbishops of Canterbury and York and nine bishops also lined up with the government, although the ecclesiastical lords generally kept aloof from party questions. The bishops of Bangor and Worcester went with the Halsburyites, the "last ditchers."

The highest ranks of the nobility furnished the fewest supporters of the government.

A radical departure from the principle of gratuitous public service which hitherto has prevailed in the house of commons was provided for when the house, by a vote of 256 to 159, adopted a resolution to pay its members \$2,000 annually for their services.

*Mob Rule on London Docks.*

London, Aug. 11.—The neighborhood of the docks was practically under mob rule, with the result that there was such a dwindling of food supplies that the metropolis experienced something akin to what might happen if a hostile foreign force should succeed in interrupting Great Britain's trade routes.

Unless good progress is made in the negotiations looking to a settlement of the strike of dock workers, the calling out of troops seems inevitable, as the police are unable to deal with the emergency.

*Settle With Coal Porters.*

London, Aug. 11.—The trouble with the coal porters was settled at the board of trade conference. The demands of the lightermen and carmen are to be adjusted. Troops at Aldershot were held in readiness throughout the day to proceed to London, if the disturbances continued.

## GRAIN AND PROVISIONS

Closing Quotations on the Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Wheat—Sept., 92½c; Dec., 96½c@96¾c; May, \$1.02½c. Corn—Sept., 65½c; Dec., 62½c@63c. Oats—Sept., 41½c; Dec., 44½c@45c. Pork—Sept., \$17.25; Jan., \$16.55. Lard—Sept., \$8.95; Jan., \$8.70. Ribs—Sept., \$9.22½; Jan., \$8.37½. Chicago Cash Prices—No. 2 hard wheat, 91½@93c; No. 2 corn, 65@66c; No. 2 oats, 39½c.

*South Omaha Live Stock.*

South Omaha, Aug. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,300; slow and weak; beef steers, \$5.30@7.35; cows and heifers, \$2.75@5.20; stockers and feeders, \$3.25@4.85; bulls, \$3.15@4.00; calves, \$2.50@6.00. Hogs—Receipts, 6,300; 10c lower; for the ordinary run of butchers it was largely a \$7.15@7.20 trade; smooth lights reached \$7.55, with the bulk at \$7.15@7.30. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; steady; top wethers moved around \$3.25@3.40; handy yearlings brought \$4.60, and good lambs sold up to \$6.75.

*Chicago Live Stock Market.*

Chicago, Aug. 10.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; steady; beefeves, \$5.00@7.65; western steers, \$4.10@6.40; stockers and feeders, \$3.00@5.50; cows and heifers, \$2.25@6.10; calves, \$5.75@8.00. Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; steady; light, \$7.20@7.80; mixed, \$7.00@7.80; heavy, \$6.85@7.70; rough, \$6.85@7.10; pigs, \$6.00@7.65; bulk, \$7.25@7.65. Sheep—Receipts, 12,000; steady to 10c up; native, \$2.25@3.75; western, \$2.50@3.75; yearlings, \$3.75@4.75; lambs, \$3.75@7.00.

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A. W. LAFFERTY,  
Oregon Congressman  
Who Insists Letter to  
Girl Was Not Insult.

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Advertisements are inserted in this column at the rate of three lines (18 words) three days for 25 cents. For ads larger than three lines one cent extra will be charged for each word in excess of 18. Cash must accompany order for these small amounts.

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FOR RENT—After July 1st, good store building, South Main street. See J. F. Roelofson. 3-tf

STRAYED—Last Thursday, Poland China sow, will weigh about 250 pounds. Reward for information. F. W. Vandersloot, 117 West Third street. 9-11

LOST, STRAYED OR STOLEN—A gray mule, answering to the name of "Percy." Return to Maud McMillan, West Third street, and receive reward.

LOST—A Platte Valley bank check book, with stubs. Return to Democrat-Forum office.

LOST—Between J. H. Alexander's and Union school house, gold bracelet. Signet engraved in old English with "Lyons" on either side. Call or notify D. R. Alexander, Orrsburg, Mo., or Democrat-Forum. Reward. 9-11

FOR SALE—Eight acres improved in Southeast Maryville. Leila Bonewitz, 1304 East Cooper street, Hanover 493 Red. 9-11

WANTED—Four or five furnished rooms, modern, for light housekeeping for the school year. Phone or write Fred B. Sheley, Hopkins, Mo. 10-12

FOR SALE—Cow, at the Seminary building. 10-16

ATTENTION!—If "the line isn't busy," and you get your telephone batteries from us, you can talk anywhere, any time. Of course you know me. L. R. Holt. 7-12

PIANO BARGAIN—We have a practically new piano procured from the Maryville Publishing company, taken in part settlement for another instrument. In order to save further expense we will sell very cheap for cash or payments as low as \$6.00 per month. For particulars write Olney Music Co., St. Joseph, Mo. 28-dw-tf

FOR SALE—Large fireproof safe, cheap. Charles Hyslop. 10-12

(First insertion Aug. 5, last Aug. 23.)

NOTICE OF SPECIAL ELECTION IN THE CITY OF MARYVILLE, NODAWAY COUNTY, MISSOURI.

Notice is hereby given that under and by virtue of the provisions of ordinance No. 514, of the City of Maryville, Missouri, passed and approved by the board of aldermen of said city at a session thereof, regularly opened and held on the 4th day of August, 1911, a special election will be held in said city on Thursday, the 24th day of August, 1911, for the purpose of testing the sense of the qualified voters of said city upon a proposition to increase the indebtedness of said city by issuing bonds in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars in the manner provided by law for the purpose of constructing or purchasing, improving and extending a water works system to supply said city and all persons, firms and corporations therein with water, and also to provide for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest on said bonds as it falls due, and to create a sinking fund for the payment of the principal at maturity.

The polling places for said special election shall be as follows:  
First ward—City hall.  
Second ward—Robey's garage.  
Third ward—Gray's feed yard.  
Fourth ward—Nodaway Manufacturing company's shop, 114 East Second street.

Tickets will be provided for said special election in the following form:

"For increase of debt—Yes."  
"For increase of debt—No."

The former of which shall be taken as a vote assenting to such increase of debt, and the latter as dissenting therefrom.

If the returns show two-thirds of the legal voters of said city voting at said special election have assented to the increasing of said indebtedness of said city in the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000.00) for the purpose hereinbefore recited, then the mayor and the board of aldermen, by proper ordinance, shall declare such result, and may cause bonds of said city to be issued covering the amount of said indebtedness in manner and form as provided by section 9547, Revised Statutes of Missouri, for 1909, and also to provide for the collection of an annual tax sufficient to pay the interest of such indebtedness as it falls due, and to constitute a sinking fund for the payment of the principal thereof at maturity.

Attest:—Seal.

A. S. ROBEY, Mayor.

C. L. GANN, City Clerk.

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